Weather
Showers but improved weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 63.2 and the minimum 53.8, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 79.2 and 66.0.

The China Press
大陸報

The Mail Box
MAILS for America-Europe, Str. Empress of Russia, May 8.
FOR Europe and way ports, via Str. Nore, today.
FROM America and Europe, Str. Kashima Maru today.
FROM Europe and way ports, Str. Lt. de la Tour, May 12.

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BOLSHEVIKI AND ZAIBAKAL AGREED ON BUFFER STATE

Radicals May Relinquish Power To New Regime In Irkutsk

POLES GAINING

New Republic's Troops Fired With Patriotism For Country

(*Reuter's Service*)

Vladivostok, May 6.—A report which has reached here from Irkutsk, states that the Bolsheviks have concluded an agreement with the Zabaikal Zemstvos regarding the formation of a buffer State. It is expected that the Bolsheviks will officially resign the power and that the Zabaikal Government will be transferred to Irkutsk.

In spite of the mediation of the Inter-Allied Railway Commission, the Japanese are still in possession of the railway. They accuse the Administration of not wishing honestly to work with the Japanese.

The banks here consider that financial reforms will be difficult in view of the Soviet's annulment of Siberian money. They have advised the Zemstvo to negotiate to have this countermanded.

POLISH ARMY GAINS ON BOLSHEVIK FORCE

London, May 4.—The report of the fall of Kiev has not yet been confirmed, nevertheless the Poles are undoubtedly forging ahead very rapidly. It is significant that the Bolsheviks admit that, after fighting near Fastoff, they are retiring to new positions. It appears at present that the Polish and Ukrainian objective is the line along the Dvina and Dnieper from Dvinsk to Kherson, with a view to reconquering the Ukraine and thus obtaining a satisfactory basis for peace discussions.

It is stated that the Polish army numbers a million and a quarter men who although ill-equipped are fired with patriotism for their new Republic.

They have recently to a large extent been reclothed from American stores. Hospital arrangements with the Polish army are practically non-existent.

PRESS CRITICISMS VOICED IN COMMONS

London, May 4.—The press criticisms of the attitude of the Allies towards the Polish offensive were voiced in the House of Commons this afternoon by Captain Wedgewood Benn who suggested that the Government should refer the question of the Polish advance to the League of Nations under Article XI of the Covenant.

Mr. Bonar Law, replying, emphasised that the Government was unable to advise countries adjoining Russia with regard to their course towards the Soviet Government or to accept responsibility for their actions. The Government was not at present prepared to adopt the suggestion. Mr. Bonar Law pointed out that this advance was not the beginning of a new war as there had been no cessation of hostilities between the Poles and the Bolsheviks.

Article XI of the League of Nations Covenant laid down that the League should act if it thought it wise and that it would be effective.

BRITAIN TO CONTROL ENEMY MERCHANTMEN

London, May 4.—It is officially stated that, excluding captured prizes, 348 enemy merchantmen of a tonnage of over one and a half million have been detained in British ports and have been allocated to Great Britain for temporary management since the Armistice. Their final ownership has not yet been determined.

London, May 3.—In the House of Commons today, moving the second reading of the bill for indemnification against the consequences of acts done, bona fide but ultra vires, in connection with war duties and also for the validation of certain laws and military and other sentences, Sir Ernest Pollock, the Solicitor-General said inter alia that the bill was desirable for the purpose of providing against possible acts in such places as German South-West Africa, New Guinea, Samoa, German East Africa and Togoland, especially between the time of the actual surrender and of the

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Fling At President Taken By Lodge For Reproach On France

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, May 3.—Senator Lodge has inserted in the official records a declaration, signed by a number of prominent personages, regretting "the reflection recently made by the President upon our ancient Ally, France, and also upon Italy." This is apropos of President Wilson's recent statement in which he said that the militaristic party had obtained power in France.

BRITAIN SHARES IN PROFITS OF AVIATOR COMBINE

Enormous Saving To Public Is Seen In Arrangements For Sale Of Equipment

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, May 4.—The following details regarding the formation of the Aircraft Disposal Company, Ltd., which acquired from the British Government all the British aviation material for disposal, have been given to Reuter's Agency:

The new company under terms of the contract paid over £1,000,000 in cash, and the profits are to be divided—fifty percent to the British Government and fifty percent to the company. By this arrangement an enormous saving to the British public will be made inasmuch as the Government Board known as the Disposals Board will no longer exist. The directors of the new Company are Mr. F. Handley Page, Mr. Theodore Page his younger brother, and Mr. Godfrey Isaacs.

TEN THOUSAND PLANES

The material purchased from the Disposals Board comprises all the aeroplanes, aero engines, instruments, spare parts and accesories that have become surplus since the armistice that will become surplus during the next three years. This stock comprises at present about 10,000 aeroplanes and 35,000 engines.

Spare parts are included in corresponding quantities. Practically every type of machine is represented, those of later date being greatly in the majority. Thousands of these latter are brand new, and are surplus only through the cessation of the war. Among these machines the new concern hold huge stocks of Handley Pages (07400), Vickers Vimy, D. H. 10 (these being the latest long distance bombing machines), D. H. 9, D. H. 9a, D. H. D. 4 (the latest type of day reconnaissance machines), Sopwith Snipe, Sopwith Camels, Sopwith Dolphin, Martinsydes, S. E. 5a (latest scouts), Bristol fighters (latest type of fighting reconnaissance machine), Avros (the standard training machine), besides seaplanes and flying boats.

IN NEW CONDITION

Among the engines, actually new or in practically new condition, are many thousands Rolls Royce, Wolseley, Viper, Hispano Suisa, Le Rhone, Clerget, Mono Soupape, Anzani Curtis and R.A.F. In addition, there are huge stocks of magnetos, ball bearings, spark plugs, and A.G.S. parts, also large quantities of paints, etc. Those vast stores have hitherto been the stock-in-trade of the department of the Ministry of Munitions created for the purpose and known as the Aircraft Disposal Board. That department now ceases to exist and the new concern known as the Aircraft Disposal Company becomes its successor. The Handley Page, Ltd., being aircraft designers and manufacturers, can inspect and overhaul every machine before despatch and can make any modifications desired by purchasers; a facility which will add immensely to the saleable value of the stock. Moreover, the concern is placed in a position which enables it to offer British built machines, engines and parts, in perfect condition, at prices low enough to meet and overcome competition from the cheaper built machines from other countries.

Two More Americans In Mexico Are Killed

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, May 3.—U. S. destroyers have been ordered to proceed to Vera Cruz and Tampico to protect Americans and foreigners owing to two Americans, father and son, named Greenlaw, being killed at Palazadas. The Mexican Government has been requested to apprehend and punish the guilty immediately.

SAYS BRITAIN HAS FAILED IN HANDLING IRISH REVOLT

Facts Withheld From The Public, Declares Dublin Writer

POLICY REVERSED

Lord French To Remain Although His Return Is Opposed

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 4.—The Morning Post today publishes an article by a Dublin correspondent on the Irish situation. The writer declares that the British Government of Ireland is defeated and all but deposed by the Sinn Fein owing to the impotence of the Irish Executive and that the facts of the situation have been withheld from the British public.

He states that the Sinn Fein hunger-strike policy had been broken by the firmness of the Government when a sudden reversal of policy undid the work of long months of anxiety.

The correspondent, furthermore, referring to the fact that the House of Commons was recently told that parole had been exacted from the hunger-strikers, said that this was a fiction.

He claims that Lord French must go as his return to Ireland would be interpreted as a final abject surrender to Sinn Fein.

LOYAL CROWN SERVANTS REPLACED BY OTHERS

The writer points out that loyal servants of the Crown, who were risking their lives in carrying on their duties, have been overthrown and humbler servants have been delivered up to the vengeance of the Sinn Feiners.

The Morning Post vouches for the trustworthiness of its correspondent and the authenticity of the information.

London, May 3.—It is understood that the recent conferences of Ministers on the Government of Ireland have led to the conclusion that no change in the methods of administration is at present possible and, while the Government is anxious that the discussion of the Home Rule bill shall be carried on in an atmosphere of conciliation and good will, there can be no relaxation of the efforts of the Irish Government to protect life and property.

SINN FEIN PARLIAMENT RECOGNISED BY DUBLIN

Mr. Lloyd George, on his return from San Remo, approved the steps taken by his colleagues. In spite of rumors to the contrary Lord French will remain, in office.

London, May 3.—The Dublin Corporation today by 38 votes to five passed a resolution acknowledging the authority of Dail Earnann, the so-called Sinn Fein Parliament, as the duly elected Government of the Irish people and undertaking to give effect to any of its decrees affecting the Corporation.

MAILS GO SUNDAY ON EMPRESS BOAT

Russia Due To Arrive Tomorrow Afternoon And Will Sail At 11 Next Day

Mails for Canada, the United States and Europe will be despatched Sunday on the Empress of Russia of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services which sails Sunday for Vancouver, B. C., by way of Japan ports. The hours at which mails to go on this vessel will close at the American Post Office are: Registered mail 6 p.m. Saturday. Ordinary mail 7 a.m. Sunday.

The Empress of Russia is due to arrive at Woosung at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and the incoming tender with passengers and mails is expected to arrive at the Municipal Jetty at about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The outbound tender with passengers and mails will leave the jetty at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. The vessel sails at 11 o'clock in the morning.

An incoming mail from America is due today on the Kashima Maru.

-:- *A Message From The Spirit World* -:-

DOMINIONS WILL BE REPRESENTED ON NEW CABINET

Details To Be Worked Out At Imperial Conference Set For 1921

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 4.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Mr. Percy Hurd (Coalition Unionist), Mr. Bonar Law stated that there had been no development of the Imperial Cabinet organisation since the decision was announced on August 19, 1918 with regard to the Dominion Prime Ministers communicating directly with the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom and the Dominions being entitled to representation at the meetings of the Cabinet in London.

The whole matter would be discussed at the Imperial Conference which it was proposed to hold in 1921 to consider inter-Imperial constitutional relationships.

In accordance with the resolutions of the last Imperial Conference, communications were maintained with the Dominions and important papers of Imperial concern were forwarded weekly for the information of Dominion Prime Ministers.

The reason why there was no Cabinet organisation in England continuously considering Imperial matters was that the Dominion Ministers did not think it suitable to have representatives here.

London, May 4.—Mr. Churchill stated today that the cost of the Imperial War Graves Commission for the current financial year was estimated at £2,787,000, of which £515,000 was borne by the Dominions, India and the Colonies.

Mardrid, May 4.—Senor, Dato, the Liberal leader, has accepted King Alfonso's invitation to form a new Cabinet. The Marquis de Lema will probably be Minister for Foreign Affairs.

C.W. Morse Indicted For Violating Act Ship Board Fixed

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, May 3.—Mr. Charles W. Morse has been indicted for violating the act prohibiting the sale of American registered vessels to foreigners. He is alleged to have sold on August, 1917 the steamship John G. McCullough to the French Protectorate of Tunis for $500,000.

Chinese Officials Entertain Italian Aviators At Dinner

Local Authorities Hosts To Ferrarin, Masiero, Cappannini And Maretto At Bureau Of Foreign Affairs

One of the most successful banquets ever held in Shanghai took place last night when Government officials entertained Lieuts. Ferrarin and Masiero, the two Rome-Tokio flyers and their mechanics Cappannini and Maretto, at the Bureau of Foreign Affairs. Over 180 guests attended including members of the Consular Body, municipal and judicial officials and prominent merchants and journalists.

Lieut. Comm. T. S. Chu representing the Central Government presided. Speeches were made by the two guests of honor, Italian Consul-General de Rossi, Envoy Yang Tcheng, Colonel Chu Shih-wen and Mr. Hsia Tsuan-an, representing the Military and Civil Governors of Kiangsu and Admiral K. K. Lang, Chief of the Chinese Navy.

The fliers will leave here Sunday morning, weather permitting, at 10 o'clock. They will not leave here today as planned in view of the threatening weather. Lieut. Masiero will not fly back to Canton, he said yesterday. He will complete the flight with Lieut. Ferrarin and then attempt to fly back from Osaka to Shanghai on a no-stop flight.

Mr. Yang Tcheng, proposed the toast of the King of Italy.

COMMANDER CHU'S SPEECH

The full text of Commander Chu's speech follows:

"Lieut. Ferrarin and honored guests:

"On behalf of the Department of Aeronautics, the Tuchun and Civil Governor of Kiangsu, the Commander-in-Chief of the Chinese Navy, the Acting Military Governor of Sunkiang and Shanghai, the Special Envoy of Foreign Affairs, The Taoyin of Shanghai, the Superintendent of Customs, the Magistrate of Shanghai City and the Superintendent of the Police Forces, I have the honor of extending to you a hearty welcome.

"An accomplishment such as the one made by you, Lieut. Ferrarin, records the world's advancement. It stimulates the energy, enterprise and intellect of the people and quickens human genius.

"The wisdom and energy of all the nations are none too great for the world's works. With the perfection of the art of flying such as demonstrated by Lieut. Ferrarin, we record another human advancement, an advancement which is to be beneficial, not to the fellow-countrymen of the inventor alone, but to the whole of the human race.

DISTANCES EFFACED

"The success of art, science and invention is an international asset and a common glory. Modern inventions have brought widely separated countries into close relation and made them better acquainted. Geographic and political divisions will continue to exist but distances have been effaced.

"Swift ships and fast trains have already become cosmopolitan, but airplanes are now playing important roles in the pursuit of civilisation, the triumphal progress of which is pushed forward in strides of unparalled magnitude. Italy is one of the countries which did most for the progress of the art of flying and who is now doing her utmost to further the study of aviation as a civilising device and for commercial purposes. The government, with a wise program of work and the industrial concerns with their untiring efforts, are tending to the final attainment of this aim. Already numerous records have been secured. The Rome-Peking-Tokio flight clearly demonstrates that distances no longer exist.

WORLD AERIAL NET

"Before long, the whole world will be so bound together, gentlemen, with a close net of aerial communications that it will be possible to span over with the least delay. Now that our brothers from Rome are bringing greetings from the oldest country of the west to the oldest country of the east, hoary ages of glory and progress are synthesised in magnificent sweeps of aerial heroes like Lieut. Ferrarin and Lieut. Masiero.

"The good work will go on. It will persist through the local bodies. Intense interest is aroused among the various local aeroclubs along the route. The Aero Club of Shanghai is already making its influence felt in this country. To the officers of the club must be attributed the success of the banquet which was

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FRENCH POLICE CLOSE OFFICES OF STUDENT UNIONS

Local Authorities Seal Headquarters Of Four Bodies At Peking's Request

Four local organisations in the French Concession were yesterday sealed by the French Police upon request of the Peking Government. The headquarters closed were of the National Federation of Students' Union, the Shanghai Students' Union, both of which are located in Ni Ho Lee, off Rue Amiral Bayle, and the National Union of Associated Bodies and the local Union of Associated Bodies, which have joint offices in the Yung Loo Lee, off Rue Krevtzer. Several attempts have been by the Peking Government to end the functioning of these organisations. The recent report by the local Acting Defense Commissioner of the alleged attempt at revolution by the students and certain merchants has prompted the administration to take this extreme measure in the suppression of student activities.

STUDENTS NOT WORRIED

The following is the circular telegram sent by the National Federation of the Students' Unions to the Provincial Assemblies and the Students' Unions throughout the country:

"We have incurred the displeasure of the Northern Government for our efforts. The French Consul-General's support has been secured and our headquarters were sealed this morning.

"Henceforth, the Peking Government will be free to exploit the country at will. Our effort for national salvation, however, will not relax for a moment in spite of the opposition. Plans are being formulated to resume our work."

The National Union of Associated Bodies has also addressed the following telegram to branches and other organisations:

WILL NOT REMAIN IDLE

"Because of our efforts for a just settlement of the Shantung question, we have incurred the hatred of the administrative authorities, who have secured the approval of the French Consul-General and the order was issued for us to vacate our offices this morning. This will offer them an opportunity to sell the country without opposition.

"As this is the central organ of the various bodies throughout the country and in view of the critical diplomatic situation, we

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SABOTAGE ON FRENCH RAILWAYS ATTEMPTED

Train Is Derailed By Strikers And Volunteer Driver Killed

OUTLOOK GRAVE

Dock Workers And Seafaring Men Expected To Walk Out

MINERS STEADY

Many Transport System Workers Decline To Obey New Order

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, May 3.—It appears that a large proportion of railwaymen and miners have no intention of obeying the strike order. The latest news indicates that the situation on the railways has improved but the outlook with regard to the dockers and the seamen is serious. There have been several attempts at sabotage on the railways and in one case a train was derailed and the volunteer driver killed.

Paris, May 4.—The Union of Discharged Soldiers of the Eastern Line has issued a manifesto condemning the strike which the manifesto states is not aimed at obtaining advantages for the trade but is purely political. The Government continues to arrest the principal agitators.

INTER-ISLAND SHIPPING IS TIED UP AT MANILA

Manila, April 29.—True to the provisions of the resolution passed by them at their meeting Tuesday night and refusing to submit to the arbitration by a committee suggested by Acting Governor General Yeater, the members of the Asociacion de Marinos Mercantes de Filipinas and of the Asociacion de Maquinistas Navales y Terrestres abandoned their respective ships at 6 o'clock sharp last evening, when an inter-island shipping strike was declared in full force. This means a tieup of inter-island shipping with no promise of an immediate settlement of the controversy. The ships' officers, according to their original decision at Tuesday night's meeting, were to have left their ships at 12 o'clock yesterday noon, but acceding to a petition for postponement by Jean M. Poizat in order to give the shipowners time to act, they deferred action until 6 o'clock last evening. The strikers quit work at 11 o'clock Tuesday night, but stayed on board until 6 last evening.

NEW ARBITER SOUGHT TO END WALKOUT

Upon being informed of the decision reached by the seamen at their meeting Tuesday night and realising the seriousness of the situation, Acting Governor General Yeater yesterday morning took immediate action and in a letter addressed to both parties offered an arbitration plan.

Manila, April 30.—Unless the shipowners and the members of the Asociacion de Marinos Mercantes and the Asociacion de Maquinistas Navales y Terrestres find another man to act as an arbiter in the controversy between them, the present general strike which has for over thirty-six hours completely tied up shipping in the river and harbor and is fast paralysing inter-island maritime movement threatens to go on indefinitely with no possible settlement in sight.

Cotton Workers In New Bedford Strike; Twenty Thousand Out

(*Reuter's Service*)

New Bedford, Mass., May 3.—Twenty thousand employes of the cotton mills here have struck because the loom fixers were ordered to attend to more looms.

COTTON COMPANY CASE UP TODAY

British Supreme Court Will Hear Petition Filed By Mr. F. J. Burrett

The controversy of shareholders of the Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Company, which was thrust into liquidation as an effect of the recent British Order in Council concerning management of China companies, is scheduled for hearing today in the British Supreme Court.

Under the terms of the Order in Council China companies operating under British charter must be directed by British managements, and when it was issued an effort was made by the directorate of the Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Company to comply with provisions of the Order in Council, but to do this through the agency of a holding company and in such a manner that actual management would remain in the hands of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, a Japanese concern which heretofore has directed the cotton company's affairs. This project was attacked in the British Supreme Court and was defeated when the Court ruled that any sale or transfer of the company's holdings would have to be bona fide.

Following this ruling the shareholders, the majority of whom are Japanese, voted to liquidate the company and over the protests of the British shareholders on April 27 authorised the sale and appointed Messrs. Norman Thomson and Edward S. Wilkinson to act as liquidators. Two days later a petition was filed in the British Supreme Court by Mr. F. J. Burrett, who is identified with the British interests, asking that the sale of the company's holdings be carried out under the supervision of the Court. It is the hearing on this petition that is to be held today.

Wu Ting-fang Loan To Sincere Company Defended By Firm

Company Rejects Summons For Injunction Over $300,000 Debt

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, May 5.—The Sincere Company is refusing to answer the summons of the Canton District Court to appear and give reasons why an injunction should not be issued to restrain the Company's Hongkong director from paying the $300,000 due by the company to Dr. Wu Ting-fang. The Sincere Company mainatins it contracted loans from Dr. Wu Ting-fang on security given him and that it will redeem the notes when they are due in accordance with the law of contracts, governing private transaction.

BRITISH PROPOSE SOLE CONTROL OF SHELL OIL FIRM

Plan Would Enable Company To Enter Mesopotamian And Other Fields

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 4.—The Times understands that negotiations are in progress for making the Shell Transport and Trading Company a purely British concern with a view to enabling the Company to take a more active part in the development of oilfields in Mesopotamia and other parts of the Empire.

The journal says that the close alliance of the Shell Company and The Royal Dutch group has been a factor in the discussions on the question of its participation in such development and emphasises that, in view of the powerful interests involved and the great national importance of oil, these arrangements must be most closely scrutinised publicly.

It is noteworthy in connection with the above that the Shell Company claims to hold Turkish concessions with regard to the Mesopotamian oilfields.

Two U.S. Bankers Arrive In Japan

(Reuter's Service)

Kyoto, May 6.—The Vanderlip party arrived here this morning. They will spend the day in sightseeing.

Shimonoseki, May 6.—Mr. Thomas Lamont arrived here today from Fusan on his way to Tokio.

Surrey Is Winner In Cricket Match

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 4.—Surrey beat Northants at cricket today by 299 runs. H. B. Hobbs in his second innings scored 114, the first century of the season.

'Miracle Man' Of New Orleans 'Heals' Afflicted By Prayer

In a small floating hut anchored on the shores of the Mississippi near New Orleans lives "Brother Isaiah," the "Miracle Man." The aged man's startling demonstrations of "healing" afflicted people by prayer and the touch of his hand has interested scientific and medical men throughout the South. Thousands of ill and crippled men, women and children have journeyed to the little houseboat on the Mississippi in the hope of being cured by the strange old man. Reports of complete "cures" effected by "Brother Isaiah" have been made by reliable persons. It is said that in several cases crippled persons carried aboard the little houseboat walked off unaided after the old man had administered to them. "Brother Isaiah," whose real name is Isaiah Cudney, refuses to accept money for his services.

Jericho Raided By Force Of Bedouins; Troops In Pursuit

(Reuter's Service)

Jerusalem, May 3.—Bedouins have raided Jericho and driven off 48 head of cattle. They have escaped to Nebi Moussa but are being pursued by troops.

U.S. Postal Officer Comes From Siberia

Mr. L. A. White, Until Recently Postmaster At Vladivostok, Will Remain Here

Mr. L. A. White, who was in charge of the American Post Office at Vladivostok through the period of occupation by the American troops, the last of which left Siberia April 1, is in Shanghai, having closed the Vladivostok Post Office on April 20. Mr. White will be in Shanghai for an indefinite period engaged in special work for the Post Office Department. He is an expert in the money order division of the department.

The American Post Office at Vladivostok was opened October 18, 1918, by Postmaster E. H. Everett of the Shanghai Post Office. It was first conducted by Mr. S. A. Cisler who later was succeeded by Mr. White. Mr. White said that when he left Vladivostok the port was confronted by a serious transportation problem, as at that time only a single vessel was sailing out of the port.

The only Americans remaining in Siberia are a handful of embarkation officers of the army, who are directing the repatriation of Czech troops, and a small force of railway service men.

Bomb Suspect Who Killed Self Owns To Anarchist Plots

(Reuter's Service)

New York, May 3.—While the Department of Justice were examining Tony Tazio in connection with the bombing outrages in June, 1919, Tazio committed suicide by flinging himself from the 14th story of a building in the heart of the business district.

Tazio had confessed to taking part in the Anarchist plots when attempts were made to destroy the house of Mr. Palmer, the Attorney General, in Washington. It is expected that the Government will be able to establish a case against the conspirators.

Steel Corporation Wins Final Fight In Anti-Trust Suit

(Reuter's Service)

New York, May 3.—The Supreme Court has refused the request of the Government for the rehearing of the anti-trust suit against the United States Steel Corporation.

Canton Militarists Oppose Parliament

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 6.—A certain military organ in Peking has issued instructions secretly to the Shanghai military authorities not to permit the members of the Old Parliament from Canton to assemble on Chinese territory to form a Parliament.

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formal handing over of the territories to the mandatories.

INDEMNITY BILL PASSES 2ND READING

He pointed out that, where new territory had either been taken over by or mandated to one of the Dominions, it would be possible for such Dominion itself to validate acts by persons subject to its jurisdiction.

There might, however, be an indefinite period for which it was necessary to have the sanction of the Imperial Parliament.

After considerable criticism of domestic points and of the promises by the attorney-general, and concessions in committee, the Indemnity bill passed the second reading by 210 votes to 28.

Paris, May 4.—The Matin reports that the French delegates at Spa will refuse to accept the offer of a fixed sum in payment of the reparations due to France but will agree to a fixed number of annual payments with an annual minimum.

London, May 4.—Mr. Moses Gaster, Vice-President of the English Zionist Federation writing in the Evening Standard, urges that the work of founding Palestine as a Jewish State should follow the example of those who established colonies in the olden times in spite of hardships, trials and fears.

KAPP, GERMAN REBEL LEADER, FREED BY SWEDEN

The present schemes for the development of Palestine mean, the writer adds, the establishment of a British colony for the Jewish people where the latter will have to work and be subject to the British.

Mr. Gaster further urges that Palestine must be decided and defined and that there must be no exploitation or philanthropy.

Stockholm, Sweden, April 25.—Dr. Wolfgang von Kapp, the leader of the German insurrection, has been liberated by the Swedish authorities. The Government has suspended its deportation proceedings against him, and permitted him to remain for at least a fortnight on the condition that he does not participate in any propaganda against the present German Government.

Warsaw, May 4.—The Bolsheviks are entrenching in a great semi-circle with their backs to Kiev. Fighting is raging day and night along the line of the river valleys.

London, May 4.—A considerable number of refugees from Russia have perished in a storm in the Black Sea. A Moscow wireless message states that fourteen ships laden with refugees have been lost.

Brazil's President Urges Sale Of Ships Taken From Germany

(Reuter's Service)

Rio de Janeiro, May 4.—President Pessoa, in a message to Congress, urged the sale of the German warships which were seized by Brazil during the war.

Humphrey Bishop Co.

The Humphrey Bishop Co. is likely to attract many supporters at the Olympic Theater this weekend as they are putting on a series of special programs. Tonight they are giving excepts from what is, perhaps, the favorite among grand operas, "Carmen," as well as a new selection of vaudeville numbers. Among the latter we are hear for the first time Miss Marguerite Edwards at the piano. Another particularly amusing item promised is a comedy duet by Joe Bremman and Ida Newton, and the rest of the program looks as attractive as usual.

Tomorrow, Saturday, two special performances will be given, the first being a special children's matinee at 3:15 p.m.—an innovation that proved very popular last week—and the second a grand race-night performance at which a star all-vaudeville program will be presented. At the matinee the prices will be $2.00 and $1.00, children half-price.

There will be no performance on Sunday, but on Monday Saturday night's program will be repeated and on Tuesday a new and original production—entirely different from the Company's other shows and containing much local color—will be presented. As the Lyceum will be closed next week for the rehearsals of the A.D.C. crowded houses at the Olympic are anticipated.

KOREA MARU OUT

The Korea Maru of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha left here yesterday for Japan ports, Honolulu and San Francisco with a complete list including Sir Arthur Churchman, Mrs. E. H. Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hooper, Mrs. E. J. Hudson, Mrs. W. A. Feeley, Mrs. F. C. Jordan and two children; Miss R. Murray Kidd, Mrs. A. B. Williams and Mr. H. W. Bradley for San Francisco. Messrs. E. H. Grooms and M. A. Katz left for Kobe and Miss Elizabeth Baker and Mrs. W. R. Devon were passengers for Yokohama. Major and Mrs. J. E. H. Stevenot arrived in Shanghai from Manila. Major Stevenot is the Far Eastern representative of the Curtiss Aeroplane Company.

New Overland '4' Arrives In Shanghai

The first shipment of the new Overland "4" automobiles to the Far East has arrived in Shanghai for the Central Garage and will shortly be on exhibition. The new motor cars have created an impression in the United States and are said to be one of the sensations of American manufacturers' 1920 production feats.

The new spring construction of the car has made it unique. It has a spring base of 130 inches, cantilever springs and a three-point suspension. From the ends of each axle the springs are set diagonally, meeting at a point on the frame 15 inches beyond the axle.

KNOX MENTIONED AS DARKHORSE AT G.O.P. CONVENTION

Republican Leaders Look For Compromise Man In Next Election

Washington, April 26.—The hot fight that is being waged between the candidates for the Republican presidential nomination, in which General Leonard Wood, Senator Hiram Johnson of California and Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois are the leaders is causing the leaders of the Republican party to cast about for a suitable compromise candidate. It is feared now that the selection of any one of the men who are making the fight in the state primaries may alienate important sections of the party.

Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania is now considered the favorite choice of the leaders of the party organisation. Senator Knox is a politician of long experience with both foreign and domestic issues, has a high standing with the party and has the reputation of a thorough conservative.

Senator Knox has played an important part in the recent history of the Far East because of his proposal for the neutralization of the Manchuria railways in 1910. At that time he was Secretary of State in President Taft's Cabinet. This is not the first time that he has been mentioned for the presidency; in the Republican National Convention of 1908, the convention which at Roosevelt's bidding nominated Taft, he received 68 votes for nomination.

Senator Knox has also been a leader in the fight in the Senate against ratification of the Peace Treaty with the League of Nations. He was one of the first to propose making a separate peace with Germany.

Obituary

ANSON CLAUDE SPONG

Mr. Anson Claude Spong of the Shanghai Fire Department died yesterday afternoon at the General Hospital of typhoid fever. He was born in Pine Creek Township, Pennsylvania, on April 5, 1886, had been a member of the Manila Fire Department for more than three years and came to Shanghai six months ago. He was attached to the Hongkew Division. Mr. Spong was unmarried and leaves no relatives in Shanghai.

Koreans Accused In Bomb Explosion Are Released By Police

Three men and four women, arrested following a bomb explosion at 24 Ai Jen Lee, off Great Western Road, last week, have been released by the police of the French Concession. Sergeant J. Huet and Mr. Tsao Ping-chien, interpreter, were injured by the explosion of a second bomb while conducting an investigation.

The police found that the evidence in their possession was not sufficient to take before the court.

The explosion was dramatic in that it occured while M. Xavier, chief detective officer of the French police, and the two assistants who were injured were making an investigation of a previous explosion which had taken place a short time before. The chief escaped injury but Sergeant Huet and Mr. Tsao were so severely hurt that it was necessary to take them to a hospital.

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"To Lieut. Ferrarin, Lieut. Masiero and their worthy colleagues, the Government of China offers its greetings!"

SCROLLS FOR AIRMEN

Following Lieut.-Comm. Chu's speech was a lengthy address by Colonel Chu Shih-wen who represented the Military Governor of Kiangsu province. Col. Yen's address was interpreted by Mr. Hsia Yuan-an, representing the Civil Governor of Kiangsu. Five handsome scrolls, written by the Military Governor were then presented to Lieut. Ferrarin.

Admiral K. K. Lang, Commander-in-chief of the Chinese Navy, was then called upon to speak. He said:

"I cannot help but admire the wonderful genius of the inventor of the aeroplane. At the same time we must not overlook the ability of persons who make actual use of the invention nowadays.

"The recent expedition of your aviation corps which was made in spite of the hardships and the amount of labor involved, will no doubt become one of the most remarkable and glorious events in history.

"This is the first time our country has had the privilege of meeting the aviators of long distant lands and this also is the longest flight so far as I know of. I take great pleasure in extending to you, one and all, a most hearty welcome and wish you all a most enjoyable and pleasant journey to your Fatherland!

"Gentlemen, I now propose to drink a bumper to the prosperity of the Italian Government as well as to the health of the Italian Aviators!"

LIEUT. FERRARIN TALKS

Mr. N. T. Yang, secretary of the Bureau of Foreign Affairs, then said that the silver shield which was to be given was not yet completed. However, Mr. Yang read the words inscribed on the shield which would be presented on another occasion. The words read:

"To Lieut. Arturo Ferrarin,
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upon his successful arrival at
Shanghai on his
Rome-Tokio Flight,
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May 2, 1920.

Called upon to speak, Lieut. Ferrarin said:

"I beg to thank you for your magnificent hospitality, for your numerous kindnesses which surpass anything ever dreamed of by us.

"Your praises are not deserved. We have done very little. We are only performing our duty from motives of patriotism; and if our success should but raise ever so little the already great prestige of Italian aviation, we are indeed happy."

Lieut. Masiero, when called upon to speak, said:

"Evviva la Cina!! Prosperity to China! Long Live China! I thank China in the name of my country! Success and happiness to China!"

GRATEFUL TO CHINA

The last speaker of the evening was the Italian Consul General, Cav. G. de Rossi, who said:

"I have to thank Commander Chu, the Civil and Military Governors of Kiangsu, Mr. Yang Tcheng, and the other officials for their hospitable reception and for the new proofs of sympathy shown by their country. I have to speak in Italian because I am so full of sentiment that I cannot speak in a foreign language. These sentiments are not mine: they are shared by the aviators and by the Italians in general. As I speak from experience, I can say that this occasion is another proof of what your country can do in the way of courtesy.

"I have to thank China for the kindness: I thank her on behalf of my government. We feel overwhelmed by it.

"I must especially thank you on behalf of the aviators for the beautiful autograph scrolls which form the highest kind of a testimony that can be shown. Our aviators will return to Italy in a position to say that they have been amongst friends and have received the friendly sentiments of a friendly people.

MOVIES ARE TAKEN

"We raise our glasses to drink to the health of China, the President of China, and the people of China."

During the evening cinematograph pictures were taken by Mr. T. Lelli, official cinematograph operator to the Government of Italy. These will be shown in one of the local theaters at a later date.

The Arsenal Band rendered several lively airs.

Manuel Contests In Tennis Singles

Ex-King Manuel, of Portugal, exiled from his country, snapped while contesting in the tennis singles championships at Cannes, the famous French Winter resort.

Ex-King Manuel is quite adept at tennis and has often exhibited his skill before the fashionable folk of Europe.

GEORGE ANSWERS ASQUITH'S JIBE

Premier Renews His Denunciation Of Labor Party Program

London, March 26.—Premier Lloyd George and Herbert H. Asquith, former Premier and member of the House of Commons for Paisley, are conducting an informal debate over the right to claim the leadership of the Liberal Party. Incidentally the question who will be the predominant figure in the National Liberal Club, the party's headquarters, is involved. Mr. Asquith's supporters arranged a luncheon in his honor at the club last Wednesday, and the Premier's Liberal followers organised a luncheon in honor of Mr. Lloyd George today.

In his speech at today's luncheon, Mr. Lloyd George defended his attack of last week on the Labor Party, for which he has been condemned by both the Labor Party and the followers of Mr. Asquith.

"The program of the Labor Party is to put an end to the capitalistic system and create a co-operative commonwealth," he declared. "I have read carefully everything said by Mr. Clynes (John Robert Clynes, Laborite) and Mr. Henderson (Arthur Henderson, Laborite) and all the apologies of the Labor Party. Not one of them denies that the doctrine of the Labor Party is a doctrine of Communism.

QUESTION OF DOCTRINE

"It is said by some that the doctrine is not sincere; that common ownership is only put into the Labor program in order to conciliate a section of the party. That is a very dangerous thing in these days. These are tropical days, when seed put into the ground spreads, sprouts and brings forth fruit with startling rapidity. You must not put doctrines of that kind in the forefront of the program of a powerful party and then say they mean nothing.

"Suppose the Labor Party won a general election and formed a Government. You may say Mr. Clynes and Mr. Henderson are moderate men who would not do these things, but they would have to do them or break faith with the people who put them in power. We cannot take any chances in these revolutionary days. The nation must realise what the Labor program means, then make its choice with its eyes open.

LABOR PROGRAM

"The Labor program is not a movement started among the working classes. It comes from a group of men who have received a lop-sided education, who have had no experience of affairs or of work in factory, shop or office and who call themselves intellectuals. A vast majority of the working classes have repudiated that program and the common sense of the working classes will save them right to the end."

Replying to Mr. Asquith's reference to him as a "demagogue," Mr. Lloyd George said the term had been applied to some of the greatest men in history.

"It is an epithet which has always been hurled by the dull and pompous against any man who has a greater power of appealing to the masses than they have," he declared.

The next event at the National Liberal Club will be a dinner in honor of Mr. Asquith, commemorating his election to the House of Commons, at which the President of the club, Lord Lincolnshire, will preside. This function was arranged before the split between Mr. Asquith and Premier Lloyd George became acute and some of the Premier's followers are now removing their names from the list of subscribers to the dinner.

Japanese Envoy To London May Resign

(Reuter's Service)

Tokio, May 6.—There are indications that Viscount Chinda, the Japanese Ambassador in London, has intimated his desire of resigning. He will probably be succeeded by Baron Hayashi, Governor-General of Kwangtung.

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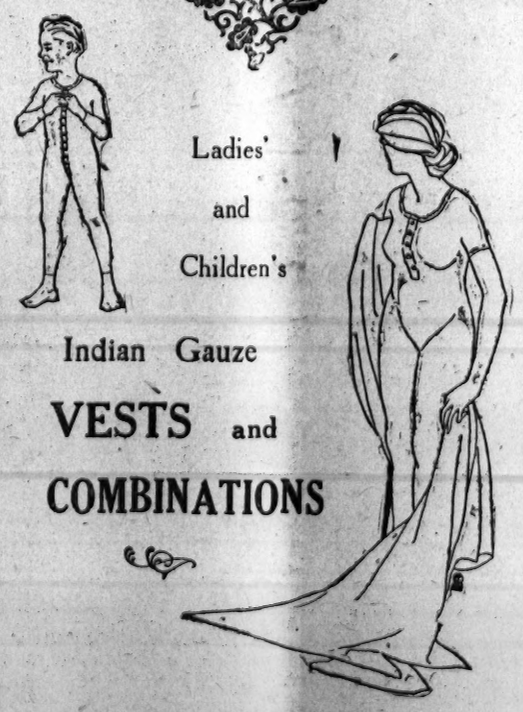

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G. B. SHAW SEES JAIL AHEAD IF HE VISITS U. S.

'I'd Say Same Things As Debs Did, Then They'd Clap Me Into Jail'

PUT WOMEN ON ALL JURIES

'I'd Go Out And Collect Them At Random, They're Better Than Men'

By GEORGE BERNARD SHAW

(Famous Irish writer who has just been invited to visit The United States)

Why should I visit America? We over here know more about America than Americans do. Just as Englishmen know less of England than visitors who've been here a week. How many Englishmen, for instance, have been to the Tower of London? We become so absorbed in what is immediately in front of our noses that we don't notice what is about us—until a cataclysm comes along. You in America are absorbed in what is immediately about you. It takes a foreigner to understand your institutions, simply because he has a perspective on them which you have not.

Why, then, go to America and lose the perspective? To see skyscrapers? If I saw them tomorrow they'd hold no surprise for me. I've seen them ten thousand times painted, water-colored, impressionised, futurised, photographed, and cinematographed from every point of view, including a bird's. The beauties of nature? I've seen Niagara Falls, Yellowstone Park, the Grand Canon, Yosemite, and what not in the cinema.

The difference which going to America would make isn't enough to warrant the trip. I am abominably unobservant. One tree looks exactly like another to me. In Italy some one points out to me a magnificent pine. After I've looked at it I can't tell it from a sycamore or any other tree. No, it's people that interest me.

WOULD HAVE TO SPEAK

Most of the interesting men and women sooner or later come over here. And they come to see me. As for choice spirits like Eugene Debs and that woman they sent to prison for making the same Socialist speech she'd been making for twenty years—Kate O'Hare, I think—they're all in prison. If I went over there I'd have to make speeches. Then I'd be clapped in jail, too, for I'd say exactly the things Debs and Kate O'Hare said.

I've noticed all through the war that the further away people were from the firing line the more blood-thirsty they were. I suppose there's something about actual experience that knocks a lot of the nonsense out of people. You in the United States imposed savage sentences of twenty years at hard labor on men and women who said the very things for which they could find crowded audiences and applause over here. But you didn't sleep any the less soundly for the firing. Whereas even those of us who stayed at home knew what it was to hear the guns of Europe; to say nothing of what came down to us from the Zeppelins.

MONEY KINGS RULE

I think it was because Americans are under the delusion that it's the people that govern there. "We in England know that we have a ruling class. We know that it's the masters and not the masses who are the government. To attack the Government, therefore, is rather a popular pastime.

In America you haven't realised yet that it's your money kings that rule. You think it's a government of the people, by the people, and for the people. That's how you get your mob passion when any one attacks the Government. It's reflected in the courtroom and on the bench, as well as in the street. And I'd rather not experience it at first hand.

The invitation I have had to go to America reminds me of an invitation to go to speak before some women's club in the north of England. They offered the usual honorarium. "But," they wrote, "we hope you will not talk on politics or religion, or say anything that will hurt people's feelings."

I wrote back that politics and religion were the only things I was interested in; that I always talked about them; that I always hurt some people's feelings; and that I never lectured for money. They replied that I might say anything I darned pleased on those terms. I'm afraid my managers in America, if I went there, would have a hard time keeping me from hurting the feelings of some people who could make it exceedingly uncomfortable for me.

As for money, I am not a professional lecturer, and have hitherto always made the money for somebody else. I'm what you call in America a spellbinder of sorts. I've done a lot of talking, and perhaps some teaching, but not for money. All really good work is done freely for pure devilment. But, of course, money is made out of my public work.

I start out with the laudable intention of bringing my message to England's masses. I accept an invitation to talk somewhere. When I get there, instead of England's masses, I find an audience of rich ladies in tremendous hats who've paid exorbitant prices for seats.

There's one thing women do even worse than me, and that's voting. But no matter how badly they vote, there should be women on every administrative body on earth. I'd go out and collect them at random. Just as you do the Coroner's jury.

Women should be mixed with men on juries, tribunals, committees and all public authorities. Then we should have something practical done. Men are sentimental gossips. They are not practical enough. Women are. Since the beginning of time it's women that have had to do the practical things. And most of the despised and unpleasant work. They may often do it badly, but they get it done. Give a woman a dollar to spend, for example, and you'll see how far she can make it go.

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OH, SIR, I'M SO GLAD YOU'VE COME. THE FURNACE BROKE DOWN LAST NIGHT AND THE PARSONAGE IS VERY UNCOMFORTABLE. STEP RIGHT IN.
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cannot be idle for a moment. We are at present drafting a scheme whereby our original aims will be carried out. Headquarters will be secured in the near future."

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 6.—At a meeting of students today it was resolved that, if the Shanghai students agree to resume studies on May 10, Peking students will do likewise, while the public demonstration planned for tomorrow in connection with the "day of national humiliation," the occasion of the presentation of the Twenty-One Demands, will be called off.

Siccawei Weather Reports

5.—A serious depression, formed between Tongking and Szechuen, proceeds to NE across the Si-kiang Valley towards the Lower Yangtsze. High pressures in N Japan and low readings at the Bonin. Overcast day and heavy showers in the evening, here and in the S China, with fog in the Formosa Strait. Fresh or strong SE breezes to the S of the Saddles.

6.—Considerable fall of presure about oin 30 below the normal. Constant SE winds with squalls. Weather gloomy and threatening rain again. After 6 a.m. the depression passes and the wind veers to NW.

News Brevities

The many friends in the Orient of Mr. Roger S. Greene will be interested to learn of his approaching marriage to Miss Kate Brown, of Worcester, Mass., which is to take place on May 15. Mr. Greene is the resident director in China of the China Medical Board of the Rockefeller Foundation. He is expecting to leave for China with his bride early in June.

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Word has been received at the Shanghai office of the China Mail that its steamer Nanking sailed from San Francisco April 29 by way of Honolulu and is due to arrive here May 23. The Nile of the same company sailed from San Francisco behind schedule on the same day the Nanking left and is due to arrive here May 24.

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A paper on the subject "Modern Methods of Handling Coal at the Mines" will be presented by Mr. G. W. Cockburn before a meeting of The Engineering Society of China on Tuesday May 11 at 5:30 o'clock at the Royal Asiatic Society's lecture room at 5 Museum Road.

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Due to a disagreement over the recent strike, Mr. Wang Chaiyung, president of the Nanking Road street Union, has tendered his resignation as head of the Maloo organisation. Mr. Wang is now in Ningpo where his father is indisposed.

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The Hongkew Branch Office of the Shanghai Commercial and Savings Bank will formally open for business today. A reception will be held between 9 and 12 noon and 2 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The bank is located at the corner of North Szechuen and Boone Roads.

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Captains W. A. Dent and S. E. Johnson, R. A. M. C., Lieutenants C. Attell, J. McHenry, S. G. Raggett and A. H. Chu, R.A.M.C., were among the passengers who arrived in Shanghai from Tsingtao on the Tean yesterday morning.

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Mr. J. B. Crow, Cashier of the Pacific Mail's Shanghai agency for the past three years, leaves this morning for Tientsin where he will assume the post of special representative of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company there.

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Mr. W. W. Ritchie, the Postal Commissioner, will leave Sunday for a year's furlough in England. After his holidays, Commissioner Ritchie will return to China and expects to be stationed in Fengtien.

80 Percent Premium On Shares Of Bank

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

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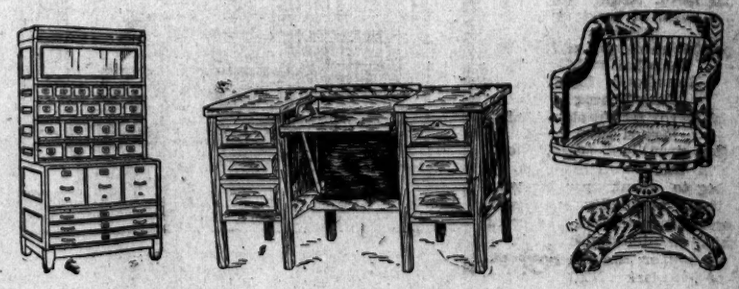
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Rousing Welcome Planned For Flotilla Assigned To Asiatic Fleet

Manila, April 30.—A rousing welcome will be given to the flotilla of American destroyers, eight new vessels assigned to the Asiatic station, upon their arrival at Manila on next May 8. Headed by the Rizal, they will arrive in Cavite May 3 and spend five days in dolling up to come to Manila, where they will arrive at 8 a.m., escorted by the vessels of a water parade arranged to go out in the bay and hand their crews and commanders the keys to the city.

Aeroplanes and seaplanes will participate is the aquatic events and the land parade will form at the water front at 9 a.m. and march to the reviewing stand on the Luneta.

This was arranged at a meeting in Mayor Fernandez's office yesterday afternoon, by the general committee. Sub-committees were appointed to attend to the details of the arrangements. Judge Rafael Corpus, of the Philippine Chamber of Commerce, is chairman of the water parade committee and Colonel Joseph D. Leitch, of Cuartel de Espana, is chairman of the land parade committee. The 27th infantry, constabulary and scout battalions will participate in the land parade, with probably other organisations to be announced later.

Games and athletic events will take up the afternoon, after the speaking in the morning at the reviewing stand, and an effort will be made to obtain free admission to the theaters for the crews of the destroyers in the evening.

Shanghai Recreation Club

Cricket Averages For Season 1919

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Played	Won	Lost	Drawn
11	6	3	2

Batsmen.	No. of Innings.	Times Out.	Highest Score.	Total Runs.	Averages
H.B. Ollerdessen	5	0	116	209	41.80
T. Main	9	3	89	147	24.50
A. J. Willis	10	1	35	214	23.77
J. J. Ellis	9	1	30	168	21.00
C. H. Bhoora	9	1	39	123	15.37
H. J. Cooper	9	1	45	100	12.50
F. Milner	5	0	24	50	10.00
L. P. Quincey	7	0	41	69	9.85
W. E. Wilson	5	0	20	47	9.40
W. T. Manley	10	1	30	77	8.55
A. F. Ollerdessen	5	1	18	31	7.75
C. E. Ollerdessen	8	2	21	42	7.00
F. C. H. Ollerdessen	6	2	10	24	6.00
4 INNINGS AND UNDER.					
A. V. White	3	1	46	84	42.00
T. Wallace	2	1	18	28	28.00
R. H. Ryton	4	1	34	73	24.33
W. Hines	1	1	23	23	23.00
F. Madar	1	1	8	8	8.00

BOWLING

Bowlers.	Overs	Ma'dens	Runs	Wickets	Averages
W. E. Wilson	31.2	6	100	14	7.14
W. T. Manley	53.4	9	209	22	9.50
C. H. Bhoora	108.2	21	284	25	11.36
C. E. Ollerdessen	115.3	21	394	25	15.76
T. Main	50.0	0	189	8	23.62
2 WICKETS AND UNDER.					
J. J. Ellis	3	0	6	2	3.00
A. J. Willis	2.5	0	18	2	9.00
F. Milner	4	1	27	2	13.50
A. J. Clark	5	1	15	0	
F. C. H. Ollerdessen	1	0	16	0	

TENNIS ASSOCIATION MEETS

The annual meeting of the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association was held at No. 1 The Bund at 12:15 today.

Mr. J. Elmore occupied the chair, and in the course of his remarks said that the Association was in a better condition than ever before.

The accounts, as presented, were passed unanimously.

Mr. Skinner Turner was elected President of the Association, Mr. J. E. Hargreaves Vice-President, and Mr. A. H. George, Hon. Secretary.

Unclaimed Cablegrams

Eastern Extension Telegraph Co.

April

20 Phoebe—Singapore.
20 Chop Juan Wah—Singapore.
21 Westal—London.
22 Vernon Jackson Masonic Club—Harrogate.
23 Teogimsae, 1004 Manchurian Road—Singapore.
26 Weh Chang—Charlottenburg.
26 Kontoenggin Hang—Weltvreden.
27 Cleo—Paris.

May

1 Hall—Roma.
4 Cleo—Paris.

Commercial Pacific Cable Co.

May

6 Urgent Joal, Shanghai—San Francisco.
6 Urgent Joal, Shanghai—San Francisco.

Two Days Boxing Program Nets Large Sum For Men Who Lost Sight In War

Two days boxing program held at the Town Hall, ending last evening, was a great success and netted a neat sum for St. Dunstan's Fund for blind soldiers and sailors. The bouts were good, the comedy features were laughable in the extreme and when the final event on the bill had been produced and the prizes were awarded by Judge Skinner Turner, of the British Supreme Court, cheers were led by Dr. William E. O'Hara, who with Mr. E. H. Gilson had served as a judge, for the promoters, Mr. Charles E. Shepherd and Captain Llewellyn Jones, the members of the crews and marines from the warships Hawkins, Alacrity, and for Boxing Instructor Parkes and his clever pupils from the Shanghai Public Schools as well as for the others who had contributed to the bill.

TROPHIES PRESENTED

When Judge Skinner Turner presented the trophies, which went to the winners and the runners-up in all the events on the two-days program, he made special mention of Petty Officer Airey, of the Hawkins, who materially aided the committee in preparing for the events. Cookie Bourne and Private Wilson, of the Hawkins, who staged a screamingly funny burlesque bout, were also complimented and all were given a souvenir of the occasion. Musician Everard, who took a lot of punishment as referee of the "Black vs. White" match, came in for his share of the praise.

Sir Alexander Duff, vice-admiral, and Sir Everard Fraser, consul-general, were patrons of the affair. Dr. Wiliam E. O'Hara, and Mr. E. H. Gilson were judges. The Honorary Surgeon was Dr. C. E. Goode. Mr. F. W. Jones was the timekeeper. Captain Llewellyn Jones served in the double capacity of referee and, with Mr. Shepherd, as promoter.

Results of the events were:

THE RESULTS

1.—Stock Exchange Trophy—Karanjia, 86 pounds, victor on points over Jack, 84 pounds. Both S. P. S. Four rounds.

2.—Mr. C. M. Bain's Trophy—Selmsen, Champion of the S. P. S., victor over Dobson, substituting for Whittsack. Stopped by referee in fifth round. Scheduled six rounds.

3.—Hall and Holtz Trophy—Stoker May, of the Alacrity, victor over Musician Bradley, of the Hawkins. Six rounds at Welterweight.

4.—Lane Crawford and Company Trophy—B. Hertzberg 63 pounds, and Tuttleman, 61 pounds. Four rounds. Both S. P. S. Draw.

5.—Mr. Edward Ezra Trophy—Private Mason, R. M. L. I., won from A. B. Willoughby, of the Hawkins, Ten rounds at middleweight. An excellent match.

6.—Mr. L. E. Canning's Trophy — Symington, 109 pounds, and Young, 107 pounds. A draw. Four rounds. Both S. P. S.

7.—"Nestle's Milk" Trophy—Private Hapgood, R. M. L. I., won from Bugler Stoneman, of the Hawkins. Four rounds.

Yesterday's Ball Scores

(*By U. S. Navy Radio*)

American League—Chicago 4, St. Louis 12; Philadelphia 6, Washington 4; Cleveland 1, Detriot 2; Boston 1, New York 6.

National League—New York 5, Philadelphia 4; Chicago 4, Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 3; Boston Postponed, Pittsburgh 3, St. Louis 5.

Far Eastern News Notes

Arizona Maru Caters for Steerage Folk

The new O.S.K. passenger liner, Arizona Maru, which was launched recently at Nagasaki by the Mitsubishi Dockyards, is to be placed on the run to Seattle and Tacoma in July. The Alabama Maru will be launched soon and go on the same run in September. These steamers are of the same type as the Africa Maru and as soon as they are in commission the smaller boats will be taken off and only the 18,000 ton liners used for this service.

The O.S.K. boats will cater to the steerage passengers in preference to those who travel first class. The Africa Maru has accommodations for but 54 cabin passengers and 316 in the steerage. The new liners will carry the same number in the first cabin and 215 in the steerage, almost a hundred less than the Africa Maru. The same amount of space is given for steerage accommodation but the new steamers have been spared no expense to provide comfort for travelers of this class The company announced yesterday that the steerage on these steamers is as comfortable as second class quarters on other boats.

State Workmen To Form Labor Union

Government workers in Japan intend to hold a meeting about the middle of May in Tokio to inaugurate a Government Workmen's Union. It is stated that over 1,000 representatives of workers in the service of the Government from all parts of the country will attend.

According to the Home Department, about 100 labor unions have been organised throughout Japan. Until the Yawata strike, employes in the service of the Government kept aloof from these unions. Since the Yawata trouble, the workmen have been striving to form a union of their own.

The Government employes at the meeting to form a union will focus their work on securing the following concessions: That a Department of Labor be established; that an eight-hour day be enforced throughout the country and that the Government Workers' Labor Union be officially recognised.

Difficult To Get Passages To U. S.

Tourists coming to Yokohama in expectation of securing passage to America soon are getting discouraging reports from the passenger agents of the various steamship companies. Accidents to steamers and other reasons have disarranged schedules and there are but two large passenger boats leaving during the month of May; the Korea Maru, sailing May 14 and the Empress of Russia sailing May 15, and they have been delayed in San Francisco and will not arrive at Yokohama on the outward voyage till the middle of May. The Manila Maru, sailing May 10 has accommodation for but few cabin passengers, the Suwa Maru is already booked full and the Venezuela, sailing May 28, will have but little space as she almost invariably books full at Hongkong, Shanghai and Manila.

It was hoped that the new passenger boats of the United States Shipping Board would be in operation during May, but late advices indicate that July is the earliest possible date for the first sailin To add to the troubles of stranded travelers, hotels are full and it is impossible to find a house for rent. Many are flocking to the country hotels at Nikko, Miyanoshita and other resorts but they will soon be full as the hotels in Yokohama.

Foreigners employed in Yokohama are also having their troubles, many being unable to find a place to live and several who are more fortunate charge landlords with profiteering. One instance was an apartment advertised for rent, but only on condition that the occupant purchase the furnishings for Y3,500. These were second hand and it is reported that the entire lot could be bought new for Y400. Others are asking Y350 per month for two rooms with very little furniture. In order to take care of its employes, the International Banking Corporation is giving notice to those having offices on the third floor, to vacate at once and these will be fixed up as rooms for those employed in the bank.

Manila Residents Are Guests Of Cantonese

The Canton Times of April 29 says:

Mr. and Mrs. Leefong Ahlo and Mr. Pan were guests of honor at dinner in Sincere Roof Garden last evening given by the Euro-American Returned Students. Mr. Ahlo is leaving Canton next week for Samoa, where he will assume his duty as the Chinese Consul to that port, Mr. Pan assisting him.

Mr. Ahlo, born in Honolulu, is a graduate of Oahu College and Cambridge University, receiving the degree of M. A. Mr. Ahlo practised law in Honolulu and Shanghai for sometime before entering Chinese Government service at Peking, where he was onetime an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Because of his unfavorable attitude towards Peking politics the last few years, he spent the time in South China. He was for some months an assistant editor of the Canton Times. Mr. Ahlo is popular among the returned students and while in Peking, he did much in bringing closer social intercourse between the Chinese and the foreigners.

Dr. Holt A. Cheng presided over the dinner last evening, and among those who contributed towards the enjoyment of the evening were Dr. Yang, Mr. "Art" Lym, and others.

Heavy Sentences For American Soldiers

Privates Over and Queen of H. Company, U.S. Infantry, now at Tientsin, have been sentenced to 20 years each at the U.S. Army Disciplinary Barracks at Alcatraz by the General Court-martial before which they appeared on April 23. They were charged with robbery and attempted murder in the language of the layman.

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DISEASE BARRIER TO WORLD TRADE

Surg. Gen. Cumming Finds Plague Increasing Alarmingly In Europe And Asia

DANGER OF ITS SPREAD

Worldwide Sanitary Campaign Recommended To Stop It

Washington, March 27.—Disease and famine are forming an effective barrier to a resumption of normal world trade, according to Dr. Hugh S. Cumming, Surgeon General of the Public Health Service, who has just returned to Washington after two years' study of conditions in Europe and Asia.

"Through the various relief societies the people of America have been made pretty familiar with famine conditions in the Old Word, but so far they have no idea of the havoc wrought by diseases," said Dr. Cumming.

"The man-power of the world is woefully short. The war casualties alone account for much of this, but in addition to the casualties in the various armies, influenza killed off several more millions. So far as I am aware, there is hardly any place in the world that escaped the epidemic of 1918-19. Thus we have these two causes responsible for an enormous shortage in world labor. We may still add to this the effect of epidemic diseases that are even now sweeping through Asia and Eastern and Central Europe, regions where in normal times large quantities of raw materials and foods are produced.

"We know that in a number of countries of the Old World production has ceased, or become inadequate, as a result of disease. Large fertile areas have not been cultivated since the war, industries are idle, or practically so. In addition to this, we are facing an extensive spread of diseases. Yet these dangerous diseases can be controlled, for we know a great deal about them. Altogether the economic loss is enormous. Typhus fever is spread by the body louse; bubonic plague by the flea-infested rat; malaria fever is spread by a mosquito.

"In the tropical countries malaria is more prevalent than it is in the southern part of the United States. It is also more deadly. In some of the West Indies malaria causes one-fifth of the total deaths. The work at Panama and elsewhere has demonstrated how completely malaria can be controlled by properly conducted sanitary operations.

"A careful survey made some years ago in the Philippines convinced experts that the efficiency of labor would be increased 30 percent by the eradication of hookworm disease. This is fairly indicative of conditions in some other sections of the world where there is a considerable amount of hookworm. The disease is spread by improper disposal of human excreta, and can be controlled and eradicated if health officers can be properly supported in their work.

"In 1917 in British India there were 267,002 deaths from cholera, 62,277 from smallpox, 437,036 from plague and 4,555,221 from 'fevers,' a large portion of which were due to malaria. All of the diseases named here are preventable. The disease condition is probably as bad today as it was in 1917.

"I have given only the more striking instances. It would take no stretch of the imagination to figure the economic saving to the world if these preventable diseases could feel the force of a joint attack from the nations of the world. Possibly no single factor would help more to restore the world to a normal basis.

"But there is another and more important reason why this world disease situation should concern the United States. We must be constantly alert to prevent some of these highly communicable diseases reaching this country. The typhus fever that is raging in Asia and Eastern Europe is filtering through into Western Europe. It will require the exercise of every precaution to prevent it becoming epidemic in some of the European nations. If that should occur it would be a gigantic task to keep it from reaching the United States.

"Even more dangerous, because more infectious, is the spread from one European port to another of bubonic plague. During the past few years plague has gradually invaded one Mediterranean port after another, so that at present there is probably no important port in the sea which does not harbor plague infection. This is really a very serious situation in view of the great increase in commerce which the United States will soon be carrying on with all the European ports. We face a trying situation and need to maintain our defensive machinery in the best possible condition. In addition to the regular quarantine officers at the various ports in the United States, the U. S. Public Health Service is now maintaining a number of experienced quarantine officers in various points in Europe in order to keep a close watch on all of these diseases and keep the service advised."

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Hall & Holtz, Ltd. Holds Its 28th Annual Meeting

The twenty-eighth annual general meeting of Hall and Holtz Ltd. was held yesterday at the company's store at 14 Nanking Road. Dr. R. S. Ivy presided and members of the directorate present were: Messrs. A. K. Craddock, S. H. Ward, General Manager, and Mr. E. B. Shepherd, Secretary.

Following the reading of the report by the Chairman five resolutions that were offered were adopted. The Chairman's report follows:

"The report and accounts have been in your hands for some days, and with your permission, I will adopt the usual course and take them as read. Your directors regret they are not able to show a better result for the working year, as although the trading turnover was above the average, the very heavy expenses incurred for various alternations and improvements have reduced the net profit, as you will see, to $15,805.01.

"During the 12 months we have spent over $44,404 on improvements, and purchasing motor vans, etc. which expenditure, we feel sure you will agree has been fully justified as it brings our premises and service up to date. This amount includes $19,157 for new fixtures installed in the drapery, furnishing, tailoring and bakery departments, also a tea room and ladies retiring room which are much appreciated by our customers. Two lifts costing $10,723 have been installed and this addition has greatly facilitated our business. Three new motor vans have been bought at a cost of $6,003. This outlay was necessary to ensure the prompt delivery of goods which is so essential to our business. A reinforced concrete roof has been laid over our back premises, and a small godown erected for the storage of flour, besides other minor improvements such as an electric circular saw at an expenditure of $4,046 which greatly facilitates the manufacture of furniture, etc.

"Additional sprinkler installation has cost us $4,475. The foregoing items have been paid out of working account and will not, of course, recur. You will also observe that we have provided the sum of $17,736 for depreciation of fixtures at Shanghai, Tientsin, Hankow and Kuling, besides writing down the value of motors and vans, ovens, sprinkler installation etc.

"Our net profit, as previously stated, amounts to $15,805.01 and with $54,160.37 brought forward from last year's account leaves the sum of $69,965.38 to be dealt with. Your directors recommend that the amount be disposed of as follows, viz:

"To write off property account $30,885.06 and to carry forward to next account the sum of $39,080.32.

"Your directors do not consider it advisable to pay a dividend in view of the heavy overdraft with the bank of $305,600.21. I may here remark that as the directors hold the bulk of the shares between them they are the chief sufferers by the passing of the dividend. Although the past year has been a difficult one for trading purposes, it has been deemed expedient to take advantage of the favorable exchange to lay down stocks, hence the large sums outstanding under this heading.

"I am glad to be able to state that our branches at Tientsin, Hankow and Kuling have had a satisfactory turnover of business during the past year, and the stocks in hand have been laid down under favorable conditions so as to meet the increasing demands of trade at these places.

"It will interest you to hear that connections have been made by which regular stocks of the latest French and Parisian goods are obtainable, and from the consignments already received this should prove a successful adjunct to our business.

"In all other respects I think you will find the accounts self explanatory, but I must mention by some mistake Mr. Craddock's name is inadvertently shown as having signed the accounts. This is not so; he has not signed them, nor is he required to do so, he not having been a member of the board during the past financial year. By an oversight the report omits to state that Mr. Eric Moller left for Europe last July and Mr. J. D. Clark last March, both these gentlemen being granted leave of absence as directors and Mr. S. H. Ward and Mr. A. K. Craddock were invited to fill the vacancies thus caused. These appointments will require your confirmation.

"That is all I have to say, gentlemen, and I have now to propose that the report and statement of accounts as presented be passed. This is seconded by Mr. Craddock if any shareholder has any questions to ask in regard to same I shall be glad to answer them to the best of my ability."

The resolutions proposed and adopted were as follows:

That the report and accounts as published and presented, be passed. Proposed by Dr. R. S. Ivy; passed by Mr. A. K. Craddock.

That the disposal of the profits as recommended be adopted. Proposed by Dr. R. S. Ivy; seconded by Mr. A. K. Craddock.

That Mr. J. D. Clark be re-elected a Director of the company. Proposed by Mr. C. N. Caldwell; seconded by S. Hammond.

That appointments of Mr. A. K. Craddock and Mr. S. H. Ward as directors be confirmed. Proposed by C. N. Caldwell; seconded by S. Hulthen.

That Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews be re-elected auditors for the ensuring year. Proposed by Mr. E. Parsons; seconded by T. Orton.

FRENCH MARKETS

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, May 5.—Marekt quotations:

Marseilles, May 5:

Rice cleaned: Saigon	330
Green peas: Japan	145
Potato starch	190
Le Havre, May 4:	
Cotton, First quality	924
Cotton, Second quality	910
Cotton, Third quality	905
Lyons, May 5:	
Raw Silks:	
Cevennes	450
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China	460
Canton	350

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Foreign Women's Home

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The Yangtsze Insurance Association, Ltd.

The Thirtieth Ordinary General Meeting of the above Association will be held at the Head Office Yangtsze Insurance Building, No. 26, The Bund, Shanghai, on Friday the 14th May, 1920, at 4 p.m. precisely, for presentation of the Report of the Directors and the Accounts to the 31st December, 1919, the election of the Directors and Auditors for the current year and for the purpose of transacting any other business which may be transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Association will be closed from the 7th May, 1920, to the 14th May, 1920, both days inclusive.

Members holding proxies for absent Shareholders must deposit same with the General Manager for registration at least forty eight hours before the Meeting.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. S. JACKSON,
General Manager.

Shanghai, 27th April, 1920.

The Yangtsze Insurance Association, Ltd.

Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of The Yangtsze Insurance Association Limited will be held at the Head Office of the Association No. 26 The Bund, Shanghai, on the 14th day of May, 1920 at 4:15 o'clock in the afternoon to consider and if thought fit to pass the subjoined Resolutions which will be proposed as Extraordinary Resolutions:—

(1) "That each of the existing "shares of the Association be "divided into ten shares of "$10 each."

(2) "That the Capital of the "Association be increased to "$2,500,000 by the creation of "130,000 shares of $10 each."

The Meeting will also be asked to consider and if thought fit to approve the draft new Articles which will be submitted to the Meeting and in the event of the approval thereof with or without modifications to consider and if thought fit to pass a resolution which will be proposed as an Extraordinary Resolution to the effect:—

"That the new Articles already "approved by this Meeting "and for the purposes of "identification subscribed by "the Chairman thereof be "and the same are hereby ap"proved, and that such "Articles be and they are "hereby adopted as the "Articles of the Association "in substitution for and to "the exclusion of all the "existing Articles thereof."

Any of the above Resolutions passed by the required majority will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

The Transfer Books of the Association will be closed from the 7th day of May to the 14th day of May, 1920 inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

W. S. JACKSON,
General Manager.

Shanghai, April 27th, 1920.

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Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 14

TENDERS

Are requested for new buildings of the Tungchi College at Woosung Tseng. Plans and specifications may be obtained from this date at the office of Tungchi College at Woosung forts. The opening of the tenders will take place on May 22nd at 11 a.m. at the office, 24 Burkill Road.

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THE THIRTY CLUB

The following is the result of the drawing in the Club Sweep for the Shanghai Champnous:—

1.—Toc Emma draws ticket No.	867
2.—Pennyfield	1087
3.—Dusty Miller	401
4.—Silver Streak	306
5.—The Merlin	121
6.—Sandy	246
7.—Florina	31
8.—The Concrake	1256
9.—Tyneside	430
10.—Eastward Ho.	261
11.—The Ptarmigan	727
12.—The Hawk	267
13.—The Heron	1093
14.—Comedy King	4
15.—Woodland King	8
16.—Guldborg	560
17.—Bydand	959
18.—Old Bill	249
19.—Red Skin	597
20.—Gulfsand	987
21.—Barlin	1251
22.—The Field	688

By order
THE COMMITTEE.

29 410

NOTICE

During my absence from Shanghai Mr. E. L. McCloskey will be in charge of this office.

Gaston Williams & Wigmore
Electrical Engineering Corporation.
China Agency.
Westinghouse Electric Int. Co.

I. STERNEFELD.
Manager.

Shanghai, 5th May, 1920.

29400

Municipal Notification

No. 2702

7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920

Price of Issue until further notice 92½ per cent.

Under the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls 1,000, Tls 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 mominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

29332

MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK

MAY
DEPOSITS

CARRYING interest at 7 percent per annum, will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, No. 24B Kiangse Road.

on
Saturday, May 1
and from
Thursday, May 6
to
Saturday, May 8
and on
Monday, May 10

6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.

Depositors may exercise the option of investing in the above Loan in accordance with the terms of Municipal Notification No. 2715 of April 29, 1920.

29335

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2715.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.

Amount £750,000

Price of Issue £100 per cent.

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 percent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 percent in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendr months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

29333

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29368

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G. N. MARSHALL.

29388

NOTICE

We beg to announce that we are adopting the following business hours during the summer months, commencing Friday, 7th May:

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29411

NOTICE

Commencing from May 15, until further notice this office will commence office hours from 8.30 a.m. to noon and from 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. daily and on Saturday from 8.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

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29397

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27740

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The Robert Dollar Co.,

J. H. DOLLAR,
Manager.

29373

SITUATIONS VACANT

MEN WANTED who desire to learn Architecture, Mining, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Steam Engineering, etc. To begin studying only necessary to read simple English. We teach you entire profession from first lesson in Arithmetic. Request explanation of our method. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, Chinese Post Office Box No. 1.

EXPERIENCED photographer wanted to take charge of developing and printing department of Shanghai periodical. Address replies stating experience and salary expected. Apply to Box 723, THE CHINA PRESS.

29440

AN American Corporation desire the services of a stenographer in their Changsha office. Reply, in writing, stating in full qualifications, experience and salary desired, to Box 720, THE CHINA PRESS.

29408 M. 8

WANTED, stenographer. State experience and salary. Apply to Box 721, THE CHINA PRESS.

29407 M. 8

WANTED, by large American firm, the services of a competent stenographer. No beginner need apply. Apply to Box 615, THE CHINA PRESS.

29334

A LADY studying shorthand is ready for dictation and desires some English speaking person to read an hour daily. Apply to Box 709, THE CHINA PRESS.

29390 M. 10

MAN wanted, having experience in manufacture of porcelain ware. Must be competent to advise on establishment of and manage operation of factory. Reply, stating experience and give references. Apply to Box 672, THE CHINA PRESS.

29267 M. 7

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED, in western district or French-town, a small house, furnished or unfurnished; willing to rent or buy the furniture. Apply to Box 716, THE CHINA PRESS.

29402 M. 7

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

OFFICE to let, situated French Bund; two large rooms subdivided. Newly fitted up, partitions, electric lights, bells, etc. Fittings to be taken over at cost. Occupation from May 15th. Apply to Box 735, THE CHINA PRESS.

29437 M. 9

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29436 M. 9

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29421 M. 8

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29431

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29418 M. 14

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TO LET, comfortable nicely furnished room, cool in summer. 50 Range Road.

29419 M. 9

TO LET, two large rooms and one small. Very reasonable price. Suitable for two bachelors or couple. Apply to Box 727, THE CHINA PRESS.

29422 M. 13

TO LET, in elegant villa, most comfortable furnished flat, board supplied privately in same. Cosy home in every way. Residence owned by young widow. Tennis, garage. Apply to Box 729, THE CHINA PRESS.

29428 M. 7

TO LET, with good board and attendance, one single room, in good central location, for bachelor. Immediate occupation, terms moderate. Apply to Box 711, THE CHINA PRESS.

29391

FURNISHED room to let, with board, suitable for two bachelors, Hongkew district, near to trams, (British family). Apply to Box 719, THE CHINA PRESS.

29406 M. 12

TO LET, with board, large comfortable room with verandah and bathroom, suitable for married couple or two bachelors. Please apply 28 Carter Road.

29384 M. 7

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29390 M. 7

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29396 M. 7

TO LET, in part or whole, house in Tsingtao with 8 large rooms, partly furnished. Apply to M. Leinemann, Tsingtao.

29382 M. 9

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29392 M. 7

MISCELLANEOUS

STUDY LAW; L.L.B. degree conferred. Address Shanghai Agency, Hamilton College for Law. Apply to Box 732, THE CHINA PRESS, for prospectus and particulars.

29417

THREE-berth cabin "Fushimi," June 19th, to be exchanged for similar accommodation "Asia" or any steamer to America about June first. Apply to Box 731, THE CHINA PRESS.

29430 M. 9

WANTED exchange three berth cabin "Nile" June 22nd for similar accommodations May—early June, northern or southern route. Turner, 4 Quinsan Gardens.

29412

WANTED, passage on Canadian Pacific Steamer "Empress of Russia" to Vancouver. Gentleman and wife holding berth accommodation will pay a liberal premium in exchange for cabin for two. For full information, see Manager, Philippine National Bank.

29233 M. 8.

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29427 M. 7

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29416 M. 8

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29439 M. 9

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29414 M. 8

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29404 M. 12

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FOR SALE, pedigree German pointer pups. Can be used next season. Apply to 110 Avenue Road.

29425 M. 13

FOR SALE, International Savings Society Bond, $300 paid up. Will accept $175. Owner leaving town. Apply to Box 734, THE CHINA PRESS.

29433 M. 13

FOR SALE, till 10th May, diamond necklace, earrings, brooch and ring. Also a sable pelarine and boa, weasel skins, and fine lady's fur-coat. For particulars, apply to Tkachenko Bros., No. 8 Broadway, from 2 to 4 p.m.

29432 M. 8

FOR SALE Cabin motor boat 25 feet by six feet, Ferro engine. Boat and engine in perfect condition and ready to use. Apply to Box 125, THE CHINA PRESS.

29413 M. 12

FOR SALE, several hundred half-tone blocks of views in China, suitable for magazine illustrations. All in good condition; going cheap for immediate sale. Apply to Box 722, THE CHINA PRESS.

29409

FOR SALE: One Buick, 7-passenger, 1919 model, Touring Car, run 9,000 miles. For particulars apply to Box 713, THE CHINA PRESS.

29393 M. 8

FOR SALE, Owner leaving, one cabinet Victrola. Perfect condition, 75 records. Excellent selection. Can be seen. Room 206 Palace Hotel.

29380 M. 7

FOR SALE, Crossley (English) gas engine, 20/22 h.p., complete with tank etc.; almost new. Apply Watson's Mineral Water Co., 134 North Szechuen Road.

29366

FOR SALE, six-cylinder Buick car, five-seater, town body, newly painted, in perfect running order, used one year. Apply to Box 688, THE CHINA PRESS.

29321 M. 7

FOR SALE, slightly used automobiles: One Pierce-Arrow, seven-passengers limousine; one Winton, seven-passengers limousine; one Oakland, six-passenger town car; one Fiat, five-passenger touring car. All in perfect condition. For full particulars, apply to Albert Hashim, 13 Kiukiang Road.

29229 M. 8

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Reserve Fund 2,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,100,000

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P. C. KUNG.
Manager.

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Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors ... $15,000,000

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Reserve Fund	1,750,000

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Paid-Up Capital .. $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,298,522.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,298,033.68

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Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
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Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

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Reserves ..... Fr. 12,027,956

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Act. Manager.

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Tientsin	
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Hankow	Singapore
Hongkong	
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Manchuria	Santo Domingo
Harbin	San Pedro de Macoris
India	Sanches
Bombay	Santiago
Calcutta	Puerto Plata
Rangoon	
Japan	Panama
Yokohama	Panama
Kobe	Colon
Java	
Batavia	
Soerabaya	

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Uruguay
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Pernambuco	Medellin
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Ponce	
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Branches in Havana and 21 of the principal cities of Cuba.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund $1,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

Head Office & Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, and Lanchi.

Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, New York, Amsterdam, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodata, Seoul, and Fusan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

Drafts issued and telegraph transfers effected.

Commercial Credits established.

Loans and Credits granted on approved securities.

Interests allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Pounds Sterling, Gold Dollars, Guilders, Yen, Taels and Dollars according to arrangements.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

Savings Deposits at 4% compound interest.

LI MING, Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.
Telephones: C. 3145, Mgr's. Office.
Telephones: C. 2147, General Office.
CABLE ADDRESS:
"CHINDUSBANK."

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts: Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY.)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Penang
Bandoeng	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Soerakarta
Langsa	Tebing-Tinggi
Makassar	Tegal
Medan	Telok-Beton
Padang	Tjilatjap
Palombang	Weltevreden
Pekalongan	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

L. G. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital .. £1,500,000
Paid up Capital 750,000
Reserve Fund 750,000

HEAD OFFICE, 15 Gracechurch Street, LONDON, E. C. 3.

London Bankers:
BANK OF ENGLAND
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	(Calcutta)	New York
Colombo	Kandy	Penang
Delhi	Karachi	Port Louis
Galle	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Hongkong	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
		Singapore

Shanghai Branch.
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VERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. CHAMPKIN, Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up.... „ 75,000,000
Reserve ..... „ 30,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTI

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS

BRANCHES:
Marseilles, Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Vladivostock, Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Yunnanfu, Saigon, Haiphong, Swatow and Yokohama.

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London
In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
In New York: Messrs. Redmond & Co., New York.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts

Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted. Savings accounts in Gold and local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION

CAPITAL $4,000,000 SURPLUS $1,100,000

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Complete Banking Facilities
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Interest on Deposit subject to check, also on time deposits. Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit

BILLS OF EXCHANGE
Bought, Sold, Negotiated or Collected
Financing of Shipments: Mail or Cable Payments and Transfers

RESEARCH BUREAU

STOCKHOLDING BANKS
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Bankers' Trust Company, New York City
Continental & Commercial National Bank, Chicago, Ill.
First National Bank of Portland, Oregon
Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $1,020,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 54,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
			Cincinatti

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, both in taels and dollars, according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun, Manger
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Fully Paid Capital and Surplus $2,250,000

HEAD OFFICE, NEW YORK

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SHANGHAI BRANCH: 1 Kiukiang Road. Telephone C. 1174

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK, LTD.

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The Opening of their Hongkew Branch

at

15 North Szechuan Road

(Corner Boone Road

on May 7th, 1920.

Large Display Advertisements intended for the Sunday issue of The China Press should be sent in before 5 p.m. on Friday

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital $3,000,000
Paid up Capital 2,000,000
Reserve Fund 200,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund.
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

LI TSE FONG,
Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on May 4, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-30
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	18-20
Cod	„	14-16
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	20-25
Pomfret	„	20-25
Salmon	„	none
Samli	„	$1.00-$1.50
Soles	„	16-18
Whitebait	„	12-16
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	each	80-$1.00
Hare	„	none
Eggs	per doz.	15-17
Fowl	per lb.	22-24
Geese	each	80-$1.00
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	18-20
Quail	„	18-20
Snipe	„	12-16
Teal	„	16-18
Turkey	per lb.	65-70
Woodcock	each	30-40
Wild Duck	„	40-45
Wild Geese	„	none
Wild Pigeons	„	none
Plover	each	10-15
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	18-20
Bananas	„	10-12
Sherries	„	15-20
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-7
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	20-30
Oranges	per lb.	18 20
Peaches	per lb.	none
Pears	„	14-16
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	none
Plums	„	8-10
Pumeloes	each	18-20
Pineapples	„	12-15
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	per lb.	none
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Broad Beans	per lb.	4-5
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	6-8
Cabbage	each	5-10
Carrots	per bunch	3-4
Cauliflower	each	30-50
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	12-15
French Beans	„	13-14
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	50-60
Onions	„	18-20
Parsnips	per bunch	3-8
Peas	per lb.	5-6
Potatoes	per picul	$4.00-4.50
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	„	10-12
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	$4.00
Flour, Australian	„	$3.75
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.40
Rice	200 lb.	$9.00
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	17
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 18.00
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 23.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

F. J. W. Melville.
Chief Inspector.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For U.S., Canada and Europe!
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. E. of Russia May 8

For Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Nore May 7
Per M.M. s.s. A. Behic May 9

For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Omi M. May 11

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima M. May 7

From Europe
Per M.M. s.s. Lt. de la Tour May 12

From Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Omi M. May 9

-:- Financial And Commercial News -:-

ENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
K. and S. B. ..	$540 B.
hartered	£80
isso-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
anton	Tls. 445
orth China	Tls. 160
nion of Canton .	Hk. 180
angtsze	$265 B.
ar Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 20
Fire Insurances.	
hina Fire	$128
ongkong Fire ..	$300 B.
Shipping	
do-China Def. ..	$200
do-China Pref. .	$20
hell"	222/-8s.
anghai Tug ord.	Tls. 59½
anghai Tug pref	Tls. 84½ B.
Mining	
alpiang	Tls. 18 B.
riental Cons. ...	17/-
aub	$1
Docks	
ongkong Dock ..	Tls. 152 B.
anghai Dock ...	Tls. 183½ B.
ew Eng. Works .	Tls. 27 B.
Wharves	
anghai Wharf ..	Tls. 150 B.
ongkong Wharf	Tls. 87 B.
Lands and Hotels	
nglo-French Land	Tls. 64 B.
hina Land	Tls. 50
anghai Land ...	Tls. 61 B.
eihaiwei Land .	Tls. 3
hai Hotels Ltd. .	Tls. 30 B.
hina Realty (ord)	Tls. 68
hina Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
wo (ord.) Tls.	Tls. 700
wo Pref	Tls. 82
ou-kung-mow ..	Tls. 400
riental	Tls. 305
anghai Cotton	Tls. 400
ungyik	Tls. 70
angtszepoo	Tls. 45½
angtszepoo Pref. .	Tls. 85
Industrials	
utler Tiles	Tls. 25
ina Sugar	Tls. 220 B.
reen Island	Tls. 7
ongkats	Tls. 18 S.
ajor Bros	Tls. 5
hai Sumatra ...	Tls. 75 B.
Stores	
ll & Holts	Tls. 10 B.
ewellyn	$30
ne, Crawford ...	Tls. 87½ B.
utrie	$32
atson	Tls. 6.10
eeks	Tls. 11
Rubbers (Local)	
ma	Tls. 5⅝ B.
nherst	Tls. 0.30 B.
glo-Java	Tls. 8 B.
glo-Dutch	Tls. 3½ B.
er Tawah	Tls. 21 B.
tu Anam 1918 .	Tls. 0.60 B.
rkit Toh Alang .	Tls. 1.70 B.
te	Tls. 0.50 B.
emor United ..	Tls. 0.80 B.
empedak	Tls. 5
eng	Tls. 1¼ B.
nsolidated	Tls. 2¾ B.
ominion	Tls. 6
ula Kalumpong ..	Tls. 5 B.
ava Consolidated.	Tls. 11½ B.
amunting	Tls. 3¼ B.
apala	Tls. 0.60
apayang	Tls. 10
aran	Tls. 8.10
ota Bahroe	Tls. 3½ B.
roewock Java ...	Tls. 11 B.
adang	Tls. 7 B.
engkalay Durian .	Tls. 3 B.
rmata	Tls. 1.20 B.
epah	Tls. 0.50 B.
magaga	Tls. 0.60 B.
akee	Tls. 1 B.
mambu	Tls. 0.60 B.
nawang	Tls. 4½ B.
anghai Klebang .	Tls. 0.55 B.
anghai Malay ..	Tls. 6
hai Malay pref. .	Tls. 10
anghai Pahang .	Tls. 0.80 B.
ngala	Tls. 0.50
ngei Duri	Tls. 6¾ B.
s Manggis	Tls. 3 B.
hai Kalantan ...	Tls. 0.50
hai Seremban ...	Tls. 0.60
iping	Tls. 0.80 B.
nah Merah	Tls. 0.60 B.
ebong	Tls. 14 B.
lobri	Tls. 2½
angbe	Tls. 4½ B.
Miscellaneous	
I & E. Lumber .	Tls. 350
ulty Dairy	Tls. 13
anghai Trams ..	Tls. 64 B.
anghai Gas	Tls. 14 B.
orse Bazaar	Tls. 34
anghai Mercury .	Tls 25
hai Telephone ..	Tls. 74
hai Waterworks	Tls. 100 B.

. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers.

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PARIS EXCHANGE
(French Wireless Service)

Paris, May 5.—Exchange quotations:

French War Loans:

3 percent	57.00
4 percent 1917.....	71.50
4 percent 1918.....	71.15
5 percent	87.50
5 percent 1920.....	160.00

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Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, May 6, 1920.

Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 6/3 = Tls. 3.20
@ exch. 74 = Mex. $4.32

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,
@ 120¼ = Tls. 0.83
@ 74 = Mex. $1.12

Mex. Dollars; Market Rate 73.7[illegible]

Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 202

Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111

Copper Cash ... per tael 187.00

Native Interest ..... Tls. 09

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 63½d.
Bank Rate of Discount: 7%
Ex., Paris on London .... Fr. 64
Ex.., New York on London T.T. G.$3.84

Exchange Opening Quotations

London	T.T.	6/3
London	Demand	6/3¼
India	T.T.	280
Paris	T.T.	2000
Paris	Demand	2003
New York	T.T.	120
New York	Demand	120¼
Hongkong	T.T.	73
Japan	T.T.	41½
Batavia	T.T.	319
Singapore	T.T.	87

All Nominal

Bank's Buying Rates

London	Demand	6/5½
London	4 m/s. Cdts.	6/7½
London	4 m/s. Docy	6/7¾
London	6 m/s. Cdts.	6/8¾
London	6 m/s. Docy.	6/9
Paris	m/s.	2180
New York ...	o/d. Docy.	124
New York ..	4 m/s. Docy.	130¾

Tourists' Exchange

@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates

£10 @ exch. 6/4½ Sh. Tls. 31.36

G.$50 @ exch. 122= Sh. Tls. 40.98

Fr. 250 @ exch. 2075= Sh. Tls. 12.05

1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. $1.35 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 5,200 ..... = Tls. 100
„ 100 .... = Mex. $2.62

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today's Bank Buying Rate For Roubles

Roubles 14,000 ..... = Tls. 100
„ 100 ..... = Mex. $0.96

Exchange Shop Rates

Buying:	100	Old Roubles	$1.55
„	100	New „	$1.00
Selling:	100	Old „	$1.65
„	100	New „	$1.10

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR MAY .....

Hk. Tls.	2.86	@ 6/3¼	£1
„	1	@ 2033	Fr. 22.65
„	0.75	@ 120¼	Gold $1
„	1	@ 41¼	Yen. 2.70
„	1	@ 273½	Rs. 3.05
„	1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
„	1	@ —	Roubles —

Sharebrokers' Association
Transactions

Shanghai, May 6, 1920.

UNOFFICIAL.

Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.60
Moutrie $30

Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, May 6, 1920.

OFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 3.50 June
Telephones Tls. 74.00
Langkats (Com.) Tls. 18.00 June
Shanghai Docks Tls. 137.50 June
New Eng; Tls. 27.50

UNOFFICIAL

Yangtsze Ins; $265.00
Chemors Tls. 0.85
China Import and Export Lumber Tls. 325.00
Trams "B" Tls. 65.00
Shanghai Docks Tls. 134.00

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Rubber Outputs

	March	April
Alma	20,700	24,000
Amherst	3,297	3,703
Anglo-Dutch ...	95,000	89,000
Anglo-Java ...	212,400	204,700
Ayer Tawah ...	32,170	29,167
Batu Anam ...	23,566	21,789
Bukit Toh-Alang	9,000	13,000
Bute	17,800	14,500
Chempedak ...	10,000	12,500
Chemor	24,918	19,822
Cheng	13,025	14,370
Consolidated ...	—	49,796
Dominion	37,500	33,580
Gula Kalumpong	120,000	117,000
Java Consolidated	84,200	80,100
Kamunting	—	23,096
Kapala	9,592	10,355
Kapayang	—	—
Karan	—	7,500
Kota Bahroe ..	39,580	36,095
Kroewock	57,500	55,000
Langkat	57,430	49,546
Padang	—	15,393
Permata	5,538	—
Pengkalan	—	10,216
Repah	—	13,000
Samagaga	—	18,000
Semambu	17,006	17,158
Senawang	15,302	11,870
See Kee	—	—
Shanghai-Seremban	13,637	9,771
Shanghai-Kelantan	17,800	14,000
Shanghai-Pahang	19,620	17,434
Shanghai-Klebang	10,662	8,075
Shanghai-Sumatra	58,450	41,640
Sua Manggis ...	—	—
Sungala	7,360	6,035
Sungei Duri ...	27,123	25,417
Talping	9,510	—
Tanah Merah ..	21,600	23,100
Tebong	75,000	70,000
Ulobri	5,725	5,134
Ziangbe	69,500	66,200

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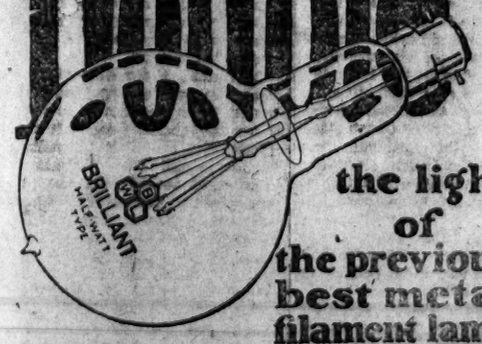

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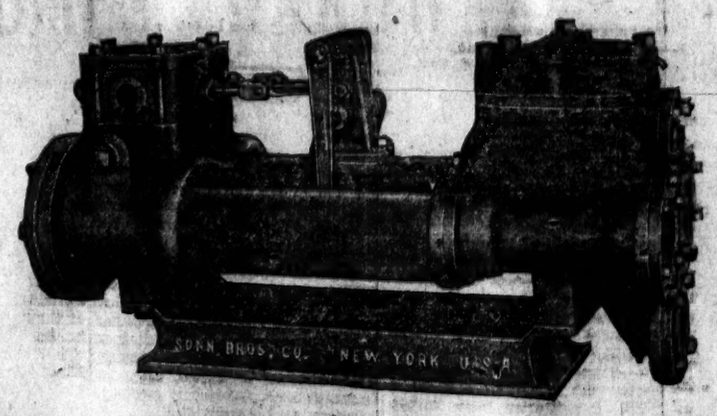

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Prohibition As A Democratic Issue

(Literary Digest)

RECENT events in Democratic Circles indicate that prohibition is not yet disposed of as a political issue and that the ghost of John Barleycorn may be a very lively participant in the San Francisco convention. We have consequently scrutinised the Democratic press to learn whether or not these journalistic supporters of the party approve the purpose of Governor Edwards and Mr. Bryan to inject this explosive issue into the Presidential campaign. The cautious attitude of the Republican leaders may be inferred from the statement of Chairman Will Hays, of the Republican National Committee, that prohibition is an absolutely dead issue and will not figure in the coming campaign. "G. O. P.," remarks the Philadelphia Record (Ind. Dem.), "has come to mean 'Guarded On Prohibition.'"

Foremost among the Democratic papers that welcome the idea of making prohibition a campaign issue is the New York World (Ind. Dem.), which detects a wide-spread and rapidly growing revolt against prohibition by Federal amendment and against the drastic character of the Volstead Act. "Whatever the courts may finally decide in regard to the validity of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Enforcement Law, the court of last resort in all such cases is the people themselves, and they have begun to speak," it declares. But this anti-prohibition reaction, explains The Evening World (Ind. Dem.), "does no mean that American communities would ever permit a return to the past low standards of the American saloon."

Prohibition, predicts the same paper, "is going to play a big part in coming political campaigns in more than one section of the country, and no party can save itself by pretending to ignore it." "The Democrats have more to gain than lose by coming out boldly on the side of personal liberty," thinks the Brooklyn Citizen (Dem.). "Denunciation of the Federal Prohibition Amendment as an unreasonable interference with the rights of the States as guaranteed by the Constitution voices a protest that is confined to no one section," remarks the Richmond Times Despatch (Dem.).

The Louisville Times (Dem.) which declares itself "not a protagonist for either side," nevertheless "welcomes the revolt against the unwholesome domination exercised by the boss of the Anti-Saloon League in New York, even as it would welcome resistance at Washington, where Edwin C. Dinwiddie holds the lash over Congress." "The people have never been allowed to express themselves on the subject of national prohibition," it adds, "and there are signs of discontent." The prohibition issue will "put the kick in the platform," thinks the Buffalo Enquirer (Dem.). "Opposition to enforcement of prohibition is growing in every State, and the voice of the American people can not be silenced," declares the Albany Argus (Dem.). "If any candidate for President of the United States were to be elected by such methods as those that brought about the Prohibition Amendment it is a safe surmise that he would never be permitted to take his seat in the White House," remarks the Buffalo Times (Dem.). The Little Rock Arkansas Democrat (Dem.) thus welcomes the determination of Governor Edwards "to force the issue to a clean-cut decision at the San Francisco convention":

"In a democracy, where the majority is presumed to rule, there can be no objection to the definite determination of the wishes of that majority. If the adoption of the Eighteenth Amendment did not reflect the attitude of the majority in America, as has been charged, the sooner it is found out the better. If it did, the same is also true. Advocates of a dry America who believe they acted in response to a wide-spread popular demand can have no fear of such a determination, and should welcome it as an opportunity to free themselves from the charge of 'cramming reform down the people's throats.'"

But many other Democratic papers line up with the Norfolk Virginian-Pilot (Ind. Dem.), when it declares that "a 'wet' plank in the National Democratic platform would be a wet blanket to the hopes of Democratic party victory." Yet the same paper admits that "a modification of the present 'bone-dry' prohibition law is very much before the public and is very much alive." "It is unlikely that either the Democratic or the Republican national convention would have the temerity to adopt an anti-prohibition plank," remarks the Akron Times (Ind. Dem.). "It would be party suicide to attempt to repeal the Eighteenth Amendment," says the Charleston (W. Va.) Gazette (Dem.), "but there are many candidates of both parties in the field who favor changes in the enforcement act." "It would be unfortunate if either of the great political parties should make the repeal of the Volstead Act an issue in the Presidential campaign," declares the Hartford Times (Ind. Dem.). "A whisky candidate on a whisky platform would not carry a single State in the Union," says the Spartanburg (S. C.) Journal (Dem.), which adds, however, that "it was a great blunder to put prohibition in the Federal Constitution." "No national convention of either of the big parties has ever taken cognisance of the prohibition question," remarks the Nashville Tennessean (Ind. Dem.), "and now that liquor is banned no group of statesmen will ever be so foolish as to harken to the song of the swill-barrel Lorelei. Any fool answering the call will be dashed upon the rocks of political oblivion."

"There will be in both platforms a demand for a strict enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment and a declaration against any modifying legislation," predicts the Memphis Commercial Appeal (Dem.). "The San Francisco and Chicago national conventions will refuse to nail any wet planks down on the 1920 platform," agrees the Newark (O.) Advocate (Dem.), and the Indianapolis Indiana Times (Ind Dem.) groups intoxicating beverages with slavery, remarking: "The Constitution now forbids both, and there is no issue before the public touching either one."

"Nothing could please the Republicans more than to have the national Democratic convention declare for a new lease of life for the liquor traffic," warns the Canton News (Ind. Dem.), and the Asheville (N. C.) Citizen (Dem.) is confident that "the South, especially, would not float a Presidential boom which chiefly relied on alcoholic vapors for its buoyancy." "What influence must there be on any man in a prohibition State who has seen the masses of its men saved from the debauching influence of strong drink who would bring back the cup and present it to the lips of our manhood and youth, and steal away their brains and make them criminals and dependents again?" asks the Chattanooga News (Dem.). "Prohibition is a moral issue, and no good has ever resulted from making of it a political issue," says the Portland (Me.) Argus (Dem.), and The State Journal (Dem.) of Frankfort, Ky., remarks that "if anybody thinks there will be an anti-prohibition plank in the Democratic platform he has another think coming."

Among the signs that convince many editorial observers that prohibition has not yet been disposed of finally as a political issue are the heavy "wet" vote polled in recent local elections in Vermont and Massachusetts; the passage by New Jersey and Wisconsin of laws authorising the sale of beverages with an alcoholic content higher than the one-half of one percent permitted by the Volstead Act; the resolution of New York's unofficial Democratic Convention calling for the "speedy repeal" of the Eighteenth Amendment on the ground that it is "an unreasonable interference with the rights of the States as guaranteed by the Constitution;" and the launching of a boom for Gov. Edward I. Edwards, of New Jersey, as the "wets" candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency.

While many papers remind us that prohibition has always been non-partisan as far as the two great parties are concerned, it is apparently in the Democratic party, where the conflict between "wet" and "dry" sentiment is dramatised in the persons of Governor Edwards and William J. Bryan, that the issue is most persistently elbowing its way to the front of the stage. "I do not think it is important that I be nominated, but I do think it important that the Democratic party be not led along the byways of fanaticism to act against the spirit of freedom," says Governor Edwards, who, himself a "teetotaler," looms as a national figure because he has the courage to be defiantly "wet" in his politics.

"Both parties," he insists, "will have to consider the question of Constitutional prohibition at their conventions, and the party that sidesteps it, in my opinion, will be defeated." And he suggests to Mr. Bryan that he either co-operate so that the party may "squarely present" the issue "to all the people of the country," or else "leave the party and take up his proper place in the Prohibition party." Former Senator James Hamilton Lewis (Dem.), of Illinois, predicts that his party will sponsor a plank in its 1920 platform advocating the resubmission of prohibition to a popular vote of the States; and Representative Charles P. Caldwell (Dem.), of New York, affirms that the opponents of the Anti-Saloon League "have just begun to fight," and that every election in the country this year will be fought on the issue "whether the majority shall rule or whether William H. Anderson and his followers shall rule."

On the other hand Mr. Bryan denounces Governor Edwards as a disgrace to the party. In an address some weeks ago he said:

"The Democratic party is too near and dear to me to allow me to let it be buried with the liquor interests. If I am elected a delegate to the national convention and my State instructs me to vote for Mr. Edwards I would refuse to serve. I won't join with Mr. Edwards in trying to turn the Democratic party over to the liquor interests."

The leaders in Washington, affirms Mr. David Lawrence in a despatch to the New York Evening World (Ind. Dem.), "are against the saloon, against whisky, against a repeal of the Federal Prohibition Amendment, but in favor of a liberal interpretation of the laws and a less drastic enforcement act so that light wines and beers may be made and sold."

Repudiating The Promise To Oust Turk From Europe

Allied Spokesmen Not Adhering To The Policy Which Idealists Of The Civilised World Regarded As The One Established By The Great War

BY WALTER LITTLEFIELD

The real meaning of the Supreme Council's decree to allow the Turk to remain in Europe has been obscured. Unless the Council can show—what must appear to intelligent students of the situation as quite impossible—justification for its act, it stands convicted of an abominable deed, in the opinion of those Americans who have depended upon the good faith of the Allies in their original assurances that the Turk would be barred from Europe.

The propaganda which was intended to prepare the mind of the world for the *gran rifiuto* offers no sort of justification, even when studied in its most practical aspects. Nor can ignorance be claimed in extenuation by those who created, developed and spread it. It was fabricated from falsehood, vitalised by hypocrisy and propagated by an expediency which the war had been fought to destroy—which we had been told the war had actually destroyed. This is not a matter of wild conjecture, but of positive proof—just as positive as proofs of the oath, covenant and promise broken.

The United States Government is about to answer and to object to the decree which leaves the Turk in Europe and the so-called Caliph-Sultan secure in some of his political prerogatives and all of his religious ones at Constantinople. The United States Government will have no difficulty in recalling to the Supreme Council the grounds for the charge of perjury and should request and require a full record and exposition of its conduct. Meanwhile, it may be found convenient to examine some of the evidence on which, through lack of any other, we are invited to believe the Council has based its decision and by means of which it hopes to justify its decree. After that, it will not be at all difficult to reconstruct what may have been the Council's underlying motive all along—which in the last analysis it must put forward as its supreme justification.

The document to which the Turkish plenipotentiaries attached their signatures at Mudros, October 31, 1918, proclaimed the unconditional surrender of the Turkish Empire, and by inference, based on treaties, whatever disposition would be made of Turkish territory, the passing of Turkish authority from subject races, and the removal of the political head and of the religious head with all its obnoxious influences from Constantinople. This last was accepted as a matter of fact, not only by the press of the allied and associated nations, but by the Islamic press of Turkey and the Mohammedan press of India, Arabia, Algeria and Morocco. No plea was put forward for the retention of Constantinople by the Turks. The events which had led up to their complete overthrow were too obvious even to permit the situation to be questioned.

The Inter-Allied Mission took possession of the Government at Constantinople and allowed it to function, but directed how it should do so. The Peace Conference began to issue provisional mandates covering the territory of Asiatic Turkey to those nations claiming rights through historical privileges or treaties mutually agreed upon, and to designate the territory of nations conquered by the Turks which still might present some national adhesion. All this was done under the presumption that the United States would become the mandatary for the defunct empire, or at least for the restored nations; or, failing this, for what might remain to the Turks of political integrity. But the proclaimed attitude of the American Government, voiced repeatedly by President Wilson, that the Sultan must evacuate Constantinople and the practical reasons later presented in the Harbord report destroyed that illusion; the United States would become the mandatary of neither the whole nor of any part of the former empire.

While the press of England, France and Italy, in full accord with official utterance, was deploring this decision, a movement began to develop which, if unchecked and undiverted, seemed destined to repudiate the obvious character of the surrender of October 31, 1918, and to force a readjustment among the nations of the Entente of its particular stipulations and a remaking of the agreements they had reached among themselves as to the disposition of Asiatic Turkey.

The Interallied Mission at Constantinople began last Autumn to lose its prestige on the Golden Horn. Successive Governments there declined more and more daringly to put the decrees of the mission into effect, to carry out its directions. The elections, several times postponed, finally produced a Young Turk, or Nationalist, majority, which made possible a defiant Nationalist Government, the portfolios of which were distributed by a man who had been proscribed by the mission, Mustapha Kemal Pasha. Safe amid the newly mobilised Turkish Army at Angora, he defied the mission. A Nationalist coup d'etat in Constantinople was narrowly avoided a fortnight ago by the Entente's taking full military possession of the city under the guns of the warships. This was officially announced as a measure calculated to stop the massacres of Armenians in the French zone of Cilicia, the movements of the Nationalist armies against the Greeks in Smyrna, against the Italians in Adalia, and of the Syrian volunteers and Arab bands against the French in Syria, the British in Palestine and Mesopotamia. It may have been so. But Syria promptly declared herself an Arab monarchy and Palestine and Mesopotamia their independence.

Now, all these things might be considered as the natural, logical sequel to the decision of the United States to take no part in the direction of the affairs of Turkey, while it still stipulated that the Turks must evacuate Constantinople—as the natural and logical sequel to the tardy decision of the Supreme Council to maintain the Turk in his European capital—did we not know with certainty that the influences which were proclaimed as having produced them could not possibly have done so.

Let us see what these influences were and then investigate their origin: With the decline of Entente prestige in Constantinople propaganda was put forward in Mohammendan press outside of Turkey, save in the Kingdom of the Hedjaz, and by Mohammedan societies, particularly in India and Egypt, declaring that the Mohammedan world would never permit the Caliph-Sultan to be ousted from the Golden Horn or the Turkish Empire to be partitioned; and, if the Entente should pursue such a policy, most terrible things were threatened those nations possessing Mohammedan subjects.

The Right Hon. Emir Ali, Indian Privy Councilor, who for more than forty years had held important posts under the British Government at Bengal, warned his Government that "if the Turkish Administration is removed from Constantinople the bitterest resentment will manifest itself in India and all Mussulman countries," and he pointed out that there were about 70,000,000 Sunni Moslems and 12,000,000 Shiah Moslems in India, who were in complete agreement on the Sultan's continued rule at Constantinople. "Maintenance of the temporal authority of the Sultan is necessary," he added.

Some of the best-known British and British Indians signed a memorial to the British Prime Minister declaring that the Prime Minister had pledged his word that the Turks should not be removed, and that apprehension and fear were developing through India through three causes:

"1. The belief that in violation of the pledge which secured the adhesion of Islamic (sic) peoples to the Allies in the World War, it is proposed to sever from Turkey provinces and districts preponderantly inhabited by the Turkish people;

"2. That it is intended to impose a suzerainty (by whatever name it may be called) over the Turkish sovereign which would fundamentally affect his status and prestige as the religious and spiritual head of the largest of the Islamic (sic) world; and

"3. That it is designed, as is suggested in the press, to retain the protectorate of the sacred cities of Islam in non-Moslem hands, which would be in absolute conflict with the religious laws of the Moslems."

This alleged pledge of Lloyd George, which has played so prominent a part in the propaganda in question, is found in his speech of January 5, 1918, in which he said:

"Nor are we fighting . . . to deprive Turkey of its capital or of the rich and renowned lands of Asia Minor and Thrace, which are predominantly Turkish in race."

At Delhi even the Hindus joined the Mussulmans in praying for the retention of the Caliphate on the Golden Horn. At Lucknow the Council of the All-India Moslem League passed a resolution expressing indignation and alarm along the same lines "at the frenzied outburst of Christian bigotry" seeking to decapitate the head of Islam. One of the memorials received by the British Prime Minister signed by British Indians resident in England quoted history to show what Western Europe owed to the Turks of the Middle Ages, what civilisation owed to the Arabs and Moors, (as though that were germain) and referred to Constantinople, with Christian relics preserved better than in any other city in the world, as "the cradle of the great Turkish race."

And finally, on February 25, the British Labor Party put itself on record as indorsing the sentiments of Indian Moslems and announced their belief in an adhesion to the principle "that the Caliphate is a religious question which ought to be settled among the Moslems themselves, and that non-Moslem Governments ought not to intervene in it." One phrase often repeated in the propagandist literature was: "Mohammedans must have a Caliph, as the Roman Catholics must have a Pope, and that Caliph from time immemorial has been the Sultan of Turkey."

I have charged that this propaganda was "fabricated from falsehood, vitalised by hypocrisy and propagated by an expediency which the war had been fought to destroy." Let us see:

At about the time that Dante was born in Florence, say the middle of the thirteenth century a Mongol tribe driven from Iran broke through the declining Armenian kingdom and settled among the Jewish, Arab and Christian communities of Eastern Asia. Its members were neither farmers, nor hunters, nor craftsmen. They were neither providers nor builders. They were nothing but parasites. When they had exhausted the resources of a community they moved on. Their chief, Othman, found the religion founded by Mohammed convenient for his purposes and forced his tribe to adopt it. From him they took the name of Turks—Osmanli Turks. One of his successors Selim, on reducing the Holy City of Mecco, usurped the title of Caliph. When the tribe captured the Byzantine city of Constantinople, in 1453, the Caliphate was removed to the Golden Horn, and has remained there ever since, acknowledged by none save the Turks and the Moslems forced under their rule, but by no Moslems outside of the Turkish Empire and very often denied by the non-Turkish Moslems there.

The fiction of the Caliph-Sultan has always been convenient to invoke whenever public opinion in Western Europe and America demanded that the Turk should be removed from Europe and from governing non-Turkish, non-Moslem races in Asia—invoked by the Governments of Western Europe solely to preserve the Turk as a bulwark against the southern trend of Russia for free access to the Levant. Nearly sixty years ago Lord Palmerston wrote, after showing that a partition of Turkey was impossible on account of the conflicting Western European interests there:

"A reconstruction of Turkey means neither more nor less than its subjection to Russia, direct or indirect, immediate or for a time delayed."

That is why England, France and Piedmont aided the Turks by their arms seventy years ago, and by their diplomacy to which was added the diplomacy of Berlin and Vienna fifty years ago. And the fiction of the Caliph-Sultan since then has been periodically invoked whenever there have been Armenian or Grecian massacres, and whenever public opinion has demanded that the criminal Turk be punished or, at least, rendered incapable of future atrocities. Did the nations of Western Europe want the revengeful Caliph-Sultan to declare a Jihad, or holy war, which would cause true believers of Mohammed to spring at the throats of Christians throughout the world? What rubbish!

An internal examination of the propagandist literature will show that the mistakes made in the use of terms, especially Islam, Mohammedan and Caliph, are such as at once to taint their authority. "Islam" should only be used to designate the religion founded by Mohammed as practised by Turks, and by no one else; believers in that religion wherever practised never refer to themselves as "Mohammendans" or "Mahometans;" and finally, outside of Turkey the term "Caliph" has absolutely no modern significance for any Moslems.

Hundreds of authorities might be quoted in support of this contention. Lacking space for more, two may suffice; one an Italian scholar, the other a Turkish scholar, both widely accepted as authorities on the subject.

Professor Nallino of the University of Rome, in his brochure, "The Nature of the Caliphate," writes:

"The conception that the Sultan of Constantinople is Caliph, in as much as he has supreme spiritual power over all the Sunnite Mussulmans, of whatever State they may be subjects, is completely false . . . the Caliphate died out definitely in 1258, when the Tartars sacked Bagdad, putting an end to the Caliphate of the Abbasids. . . . Sunnite Islamism has never admitted a supreme head of the Islamic Church. A Church, in the sense of a sacerdotal hieratical organisation, does not exist. Religious unity is maintained not by the Caliph, but by the ulama."

And this from Adam Bambakas, formerly of the Turkish Parliament, in a memorial addressed to Premier Clemenceau last June:

"To pretend that Constantinople has a sacred value from the Moslem point of view, and that, consequently, if you remove from Constantinople the Fadishah of the Osmanlis you risk making an attack upon the faith of the followers of Mahomet, is to run counter to traditions of even faithful Mussulmans. The cities that were the center of the religion of Mahomet are well known; they were considered holy or sacred, their names were always followed by the qualifying words Sherif, Moukerem, Munever, which signify holy, sacred, enlightened. These are Damascus, which bears the name of Sham-i-Sherif, Mecca Dearing, the name of M'Ekeimou-Kereme, and Medina, Modinei-Mounevere. Jerusalem, too, was considered by the Mussulmans as a sacred country and bears the name of Koudouss-i-Sherif, for Jesus Christ likewise was considered a prophet.

"Constantinople was always considered a city of the 'Ghiaours,' a country of infidels and conquest, and so has kept its name unchanged. . . . Keeping the Sultan in Constantinople is contrary to the interests of the Mussulmans. The Sultan, as a consequence of the frightful politics of his advisers, Old and Young Turks, has lost recently all his religious prestige. Mecca, Medina, Bagdad, Yemen, Assir and Syria have never recognised the domination of the Ottoman Caliph."

Now, why was the fiction of the Caliph-Sultan invoked by Entente propagandists in order to pave the way for the decree of the Supreme Council? What inspired the British Indian Viceroy to father all the Moslem propaganda in India and to announce the decree of the Council in Delhi, one day before it was decided on and nearly a week before it was imparted by the British High Commissioner to the expectant Turks at Constantinople?

Of course, the recent military occupation of the city on the Golden Horn may never be withdrawn by the Entente. It may practically, therefore, repudiate the decree and thus produce a situation in accord with the demands of the American Government, strengthened, it may be, by the projected claims to the Caliphate by King Hussein of the Hedjaz, Grand Sherif of Mecca and an acknowledged descendant of the prophet's daughter Fatima. But we need look no further for an explanation of the Council's decree than is to be found in the old diplomacy, in the fiction of the Caliph-Sulton, and in the admonition of Lord Palmerston—for Russia, under any Government, will crave *a pied a terre* on the Eastern Mediterranean littoral just as she always has in the past.

The Korean forbids the destruction of plastic representations of the human form (the image of God), and of all books and manuscripts (lest the name of God be thus annihilated), and so the only debt dué the Turks from the Christian world is the fact that Constantinople remains today the greatest museum of early Christian art and of pagan as well as Christian literature. But since the Turks gained possession the museum has been sealed to the non-Moslem world. If the doors were now thrown open, civilisation might know the exact character and value of its heritage. From the point of view of the scholar, the city of Constantine has never ceased to be Byzantine, its churches have never ceased to be Christian. In the opinion of most of the Christian world, certainly of Americans, it is time to relieve the Turk of his stewardship.

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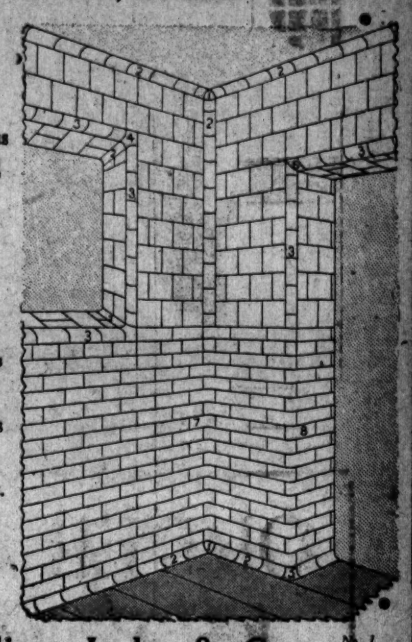

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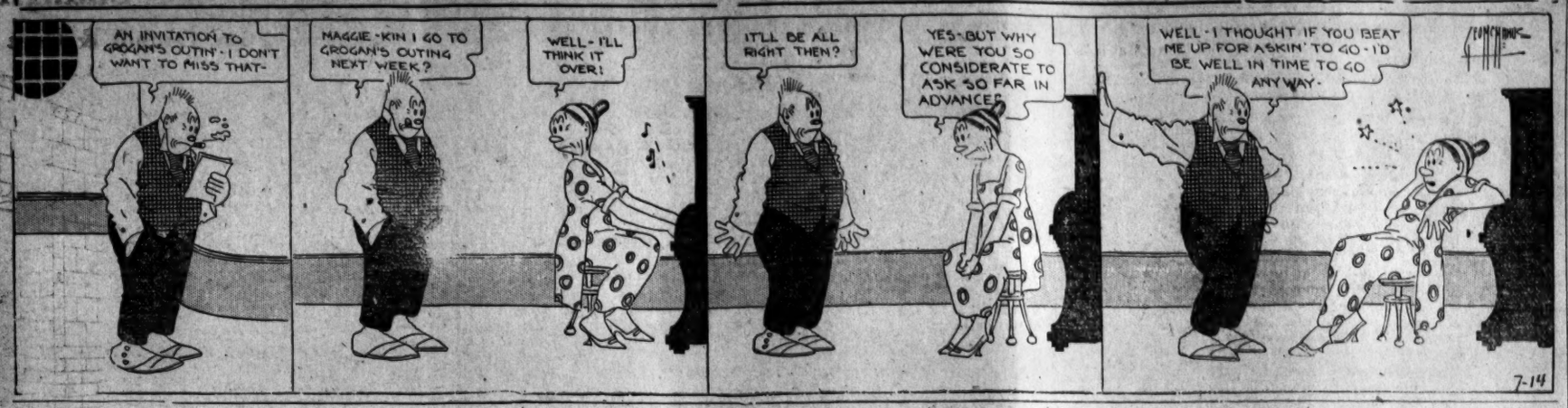
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Mirandy On The Truth -:- By Dorothy Dix

From Good Housekeeping Magazine

Brer Jinkins, whut am one of dese heah rambunctious preachers whut fairly dotes on holdin' sinners by de slack of deir clothes over hell-fires ontel you can hear 'em sizzle, suttenly did promulgate a edifyin' discourse las' Sunday night.

He took de Truth as his text, an' he says as how hit's a lucky thing for folks in dese days dat de Lawd don't take no snap judgment on liars lak he done on Ananias an' Sapphira, or else dere'd be a lot of mighty sudden funerals, an we'd all be goin' aroun' saying,' "How natcheral dey looks," of our neighbors, ef so be we didn't happen to be de corpse ourselves. An' den he tell us how beautiful de truth was, an' ax us to pledge ourselves never to speak nothin' but de thruth, an' to quit monkeyin' wid tarradiddles de way we do.

Now I done ax Brer Jinkins to dinner, bein' as how we was gwine to have chicken fixin's, an' on de way home he say to me:

"Sis Mirandy, ma'am," he says, "I done took notice dat whilst Sis Tempy, an' Sis Hannah Jane, an' Sis Luellen was a holdin' up my hands, as de Good Book says, by shoutin' 'Amen' to de words that I was prognosticatin', you set fast whar you was, as dumb as an eyester, an' I sholy was surprised, bein' as how you is a member in good an' reg'lar standin' an' de leader of de daughters of I Will Arise. Sholy his can't be, Sis Mirandy, dat you is blackskid, an' is one of dem whut ain't strong for de truth?"

"Well, Brer Jinkins," spons I, "I's 'bout de truth lak I's 'bout a cold shower bath. I believes in hit for odder folks, but when hit comes to myself, I sorter laks de aidge taken off an' hit tempered down to whar hit don't send de chills chasin' up an' down my spine. Yassir, Brer Jinkins, I make no doubt dat de truth is a fine an' bracin' thing for odder folks, but as for me I ain't got de constitution to stand hit in its natcheral state."

"'Oh, Sis Mirandy," sclaims Brer Jinkins. "I's afead dat you's a walkin' in de valley of darkness, an' yo, eyes is blinded so you can't see whut a gran' worl' dis would be ef we'd all strip away de deceit from our intercourse wid our feller cretures an' des speak de simple truth to each odder when we met."

"Maybe so," spons I, "But hit's my opinion dat ef we went 'bout handin' each odder de exact truth, dat we would all be in a fight that would make de Kilkenny cats look lak a Peace League, an' dat de onliest thing dat keeps us from scratchin' out each odder's eyes is de way we wuks de circumlocation of de veracity.

"Now me an' Sis Tempy, we's been friends dese thuty yeahs. We's borrowed back an' forth, an' we's helped each odder out in times of sickness an' need dere ain't nary a hard word ever passed betwixt us, becaze we ain't never yet told each odder de exact truth 'bout whut we thought 'bout each odder.

"When I goes to Sis Tempy's house, I mirates over de way she cooks potkchops, an' I tells her dat her baby sho is one dese heah infant paregorice dat is so smart hit's gwine to set de river on fire when hit's growed up, an' we has a gran' an' beautiful time togedder an' enjoys each odder's s'ciety.

"An' when Sis Tempy comes to my house, an' I shows her my new hat an' my yaller spo'tin' skirt, she 'lows dat day suttenly does take her eye, an' dat when I fa'nts myself up de aisle next Sunday in chu'ch in 'em, dat she hopes all de sisters will have rubber necks, or else dey'll twis' 'em off lookin' to see ef I lef' de price tag on 'em for I suttenly will look lak a million dollars. An' when I hears her noratin' dat way, I thinks dat of all de women dat I ever set my eyeballs on, Sis Tempy choly is got de mos' sense an' de mos' judgment taste.

"But spose when I set down to Sis Tempy's table I passed her de true word an' tole her dat she got too much bakin' powder in her biscuits, an' dat her po'kchops was greasy, an' dat as for dat spiled brat of hers dat she was always a-braggin' on, dat ef he was mine, I'd turn him over my knee an' lambaste some of dat bombosity out of him, so he'd keep quiet an' let grown folkes talk instid of always puttin' hisself to the front an' monopolisin' de conversation.

"An' spose Sis Tempy tole me de truth 'bout my new close an' said dat I look lak a figger of fun in a hat dat was 'bout ten yeahs too young for me, an' dat when a lady of my heft an' age got herself up in chicken fedders, dat somebody ought to send in a hurry call for de ambulance an' take her off to a padded cell whar de po'thing couldn't do no harm to nobody. Don't you think dem exchanges of truth would sort of wet-blanket our friendship, Brer Jinkins? Do you think we'd be hunfin' each odder up when we wanted to pass a pleasant hour, ef we was lakly to heah each odder's truthful remarks apperatin'n to an' concernin' each odder? I guess not. Anyway, hit ain't my idee of enjoyin' myself, to find out whut folks really thinks 'bout me.

"An' as for introducin' puffect truth into matermony, hit can't be did. Brer Jinkins, an' folks stay married. Why, dat's de matter wid de holy estate right now, an' why dere's so many divorsches. Hit's becaze misguided man an' women is foolish enough to think dat becaze dey's tied togedder an' can't git away, dat can tell each odder de truth.

"But hit won't wuk. Whenever truthful James begins to tell de wife of his bosom dat she's gittin' fat an ole, an' dat de things dat she cooks is fust aid to de ondertaker, 'bout dat minnit marriage begins to be a failure in dat household, an' de wife commences to figger on de price of a ticket to Reno.

"An' whenever you find a wife dat's veracious Jane, who tells her husban' des exactly whut she thinks 'bout him, an' whut a po' little ne, asly, human shrimp he looks lak to her, an' dat he ain't got her fooled into thinkin' dat he's any kin to ole Solomon, right dere an' den you'll find a man whut is segasutin' off after some odder lady dat's go sense enough to tell a man de things dat he wants to heah, instid of de facts in de case.

"Naw, sir, I don't recomember dat I's ever met up wid a happy married couple whut was charter members of de Amalgamated Order of Truth Tellers. As for me, when I talks to my ole man, Ike, I des lets go all hold on veracity, an' promulgates to him dat he's de handsomest an' de smartest man I's ever run acrost, an' dat I ain't done wonderin' yit how I ever had de luck to git him. An' when Ike 'lows to me, dat I git handsomer ev'y yeah, I des purrs onder his hand an' hopes de Recordin' Angel will drap a tear on dat lie becaze hit makes a fat ole woman so happy.

"But der's one curis thing 'bout de truth, Brer Jinkins," says I, "an' dat is dat de mo' ugly an' unpleasant a truth is, de mo' reputation hit's got of gein' a truth, an' may be dat's de reason dat de truth ain't bo' pop'lar.

"An' ef anybody wants to be nasty to somebody else an' say disagreeable things to 'em, dey always justifies deyselves by sayin' hit's deir duty to tell 'em de truth, but nobody don't seem to think hit's deir duty to tell nobody de pleasant truths 'bout deirselves. Dey calls that flattery.

"Yit hit looks lak to me dat de nice things 'bout life—de love, an' de kindness, an' de sweetness, an' de cleanness—is des as true as de mean things an' de rotten things. Dere's day as well as night. Dere's sunshine as well as rain in de worl.'

"Dat's why I is for truth, Brer Jinkins. As long as day's pleasant truth, I'm wid you, but when hit comes to de kind of truth dat' full of barbed wire, an' gas attacks, an' chrapnel, an' bustin' bombs, an' so on, why I want somebody to let down one of dese heah barrages betwixt me an' hit. I'm for safety fust. An' I specs dere's a soft place in deir hearts for dem fibs whut sort of iles up de wheels of life."

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Ningpo	Hsin Peking	..	15.00	..	..	..	
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train		17.00	..	..	..	..
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Tean	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Swatow & Hongkong	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Koonshing	14.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	do	..	14.00	..	..	..	..
Chefoo	Chekiang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Chefoo and Tientsin	Chekiang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, Ceylon, India & Europe Via Suez	Nore	..	10.00	..	..	..	9.30
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H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Nore	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
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Hankow	Suiwo	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW							
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin	Shuntien	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	A. Behic	‡8.30	..	..	..	..	..
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S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Hangsang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits Ceylon, India & Europe Via Suez	A. Behic	..	‡8.30	..	..	..	..
N'saki, Kobe, Yokohama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	E. of Russia	..	..	18.00	..	..	17.00
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Amoy, H'kong & C'ton	Kungping	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
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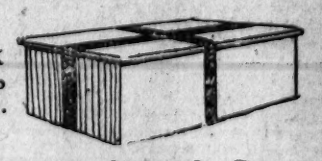

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May	11	— San Francisco	Eikhorn	Am.	S. & Dix
May	12	— Portland	Coaxet	Am.	Adl. Line
May	12	— San Francisco	West Cadron	Am.	Dollar Co.
May	15	— Seattle	Brave Couer	Am.	S. & Dix
May	18	— Seattle	Toyohashi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	19	— Seattle	West Jester	Am.	A. T. Co.
May	19	— Baltimore	Eurana	Am.	S. & Dix.
May	19	— New Orleans	West Hembrie	Am.	S. & Dix
May	20	— Portland	Angeles	Am.	C. P. Co.
May	21	— New York	Eurymachus	Br.	B. & S.
May	22	— San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. C
May	22	— Seattle	Edmore	Am.	Adl. Line
May	25	— San Francisco	West Cahokia	Am.	S. & Dix
May	26	— San Francisco	†China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May	28	— New York	Lima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	29	— Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S
May	30	— Seattle	West Ivis	Am.	S. & Dix
May	30	— Baltimore v. M'nean	West Boro	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May	30	— San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May	30	— Seattle	†Kashima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	31	— New York	Howick Hall	Br.	B. & S.
June	2	— San Francisco	West Hepburn	Am.	Dollar Co.
June	3	— San Francisco	West Himrod	Am.	S. & Dix
June	4	— New Orleans	Lancaster	Am.	S. & Dix
June	5	— Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June	5	— San Francisco	†Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co
June	10	— Portland	West Navaria	Am.	C. P. Co.
June	10	— New York	Wytheville	Am.	Adl. Line
June	12	— Vancouver	†Mongteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June	15	— Seattle	Stanley	Am.	A. T. Co.
June	17	— Vancouver, N. Y.	Bessie Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June	19	— San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June	19	— Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June	20	— San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
June	20	— Baltimore v. P'ama	West Moreland	Am.	S & Dix
June	20	— Portland	West Keats	Am.	C. P. Co.
June	22	— San Francisco	†Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
July	12	— Seattle	Maquan	Am.	A. T. Co.
July	31	— Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

May	7	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	8	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	9	—	Nagasaki	Simbirsk	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	10	—	Kobe	Takada	Br.	M.M. & Co.
May	12	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	14	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	15	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May	16	—	Kobe	Arratoon Apcar	Br.	M.M. & Co.
May	18	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Kohora Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May	19	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May	23	—	Kobe	Inaba Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

May	7	—	London	†Nore	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May	8	—	Marseilles	†Armand Behic	Fr.	M. M. Cie
May	10	—	Calcutta	Takada	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May	11	—	Bombay	†Dunera	Br.	M.M. & Co.
May	11	—	London	Tydeus	Br.	B. & S.
May	15	—	R'dam, Hamburg	†Tjitaroem	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
May	15	—	Java	†Tjilliwong	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
May	16	—	London, etc.	†Mishima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	16	—	Calcutta	Arratoon Apcar	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May	20	—	Singapore	†Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May	20	—	A'dam, L'don, A'erp	Telemachus	Br.	B. & S.
May	20	—	Liverpool	Priam	Br.	B. & S.
May	20	—	Liverpool	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S
May	22	—	London	†Novara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May	23	—	Hamburg, etc.	Toycoka Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	23	—	Trieste	Africa	Ital.	Dod. & Co.
May	23	—	M'lles, Liverpool	Kamakura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	24	—	London	Glenade	Br.	G. L. E. A.
May	24	—	London, etc.	†Sado Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May	27	—	L'don, A'dam, A'werp	Teiresias	Br.	B. & S.
May	30	—	London, etc.	†Delta	Br.	M.M. & Co.
June	3	—	L'don, A'dam, H'burg	Neleus	Br.	B. & S.
June	1	—	Marseilles	Cardillere	Fr.	M. M. Cie
June	6	—	Scandinavia	Asia	Dan.	E. A. Co.
June	6	—	London, etc.	†Nellore	Br.	M.M. & Co.
June	9	—	Scandinavia	Siam	Dan.	E.A. Co.
June	15	—	Amsterdam, H'burg	Batjan	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
June	17	—	L'don, A'ham, A'werp	Deucalion	Br.	B. & S.
June	24	—	Genoa, M'lles, L'pool	Talthybius	Br.	B. & S.
June	30	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July	1	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Helenus	Br.	B. & S.
July	11	—	Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr.	M. M. Cie

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

May	7	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
May	7	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
May	8	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May	8	—	Hongkong	Kashima M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May	8	1.00	Hongkong & Canton	Huichow	Br.	B. & S.
May	8	D.L.	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
May	8	—	Foochow, etc.	Keelung M.	Jap.	O.S.K.
May	9	—	Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May	11	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
May	13	—	Hongkong	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
May	14	—	Hongkong	China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co
May	17	—	Hongkong	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May	20	—	Hongkong	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co
May	21	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S
May	23	—	Hongkong	Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May	24	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May	29	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co,

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

May	7	—	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	7	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Koonshing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	7	noon	Chefoo, Newchwang	Wahh	Br.	B. & S.
May	7	D.L.	Newchwang	Tientsin	Br.	B. & S.
May	8	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br.	K.M.A.
May	8	D.L.	Newchwang	Chihli	Br.	B. & S.
May	8	1.00	Tsingtau, Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
May	8	D.L.	Tsingtau	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
May	8	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
May	8	D.L.	Chefoo, Tientsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
May	9	3.00	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus.	R. V. F.
May	11	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
May	11	D.L.	Chefoo Newchwang	Shansi	Br.	B. & S.
May	11	D.L.	Dairen	Chinkiang	Br.	B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

May	7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyl	Br.	B. & S
May	7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
May	8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
May	8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
May	9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May	10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May	10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	10	D.L.	Pukow	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
May	10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
May	11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co
May	11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S
May	12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hsinfung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May	12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S
May	13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N Co
May	13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
May	14	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
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Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
P. & O. B.I.	Mar. 28	Alacrity	Br. gun-boat
B. I.	May 3	Cairo	Br. cruiser
KND	May 1	Elcano	Am. gun-boat
K. N. D.	Apr. 1	Fushimi	Jap. gun-boat
1 C.	Apr. 17	Gen. Alava	Am. gun-boat
BNII	Apr. 10	Hawkins	Br. cruiser
B.N.B.	Mar. 26	Kinsha	Br. gun-boat
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
S O C W	May 5	Monocacy	Am. gunboat
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 227	Ital. sub-chaser
9 P.	May 5	Samar	Br. gun-boat
1 C.	May 2	Teal	
1 C.	May 5	Villalobos	Am. gun-boat

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Due†	May 22	Brave Couer†	May 15
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High Water at Woosung Bar
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Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 3 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
2h. 26m.	9ft. 0in.	2h. 44m.	6ft. 6in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	A.M. M	P.M. H	P.M. M
1	29	1	46

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
10 13 p.m.	8 8 a.m.	5h. 13m.	6h. 40m.	4h. 28m.	7h. 25m.

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FOR HONGKONG

AFRICA MARU	18,000	H. Yamamoto,	May 15 May 16

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS (Tsingtao, Tientsin and Dairen).

KOHOKU MARU ...	5,000	M. Tsubaki,	May 12 May 14

FOR SOUTH CHINA PORTS and FORMOSA (Foochow, Keelung and Takao).

KEELUNG MARU ...	3,000	Capt. N. Kamizawa,	May 6 May 8

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Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco		
Shinyo Maru	..... Apr.	4
West Ira	..... Apr.	5
Satanta	..... Apr.	6
Broad Arrow	..... Apr.	21
Colombia	..... Apr.	25
West Elcajon	..... Apr.	27
West Niger	..... Apr.	30
Acme	..... May	1
West Wind	..... May	4
Korea Maru	..... May	6
For Tacoma		
Manila Maru	..... Apr.	30
For Seattle		
Tajima Maru	..... Apr.	1
Elkton	..... Apr.	3
Milkesan Maru	..... Apr.	6
Hwahwu	..... Apr.	7
Katori Maru	..... Apr.	17
Suwa Maru	..... May	6
For Portland		
Pawlet	..... Apr.	18
For Vancouver		
Empress of Japan	.... Apr.	1
Monteagle	..... Apr.	3
Empress of Asia	.... Apr.	11
Methven	..... Apr.	17
Melville Dollar	..... Apr.	20
Harold Dollar	..... Apr.	27
M. S. Dollar	..... Apr.	29
For New York		
Winyah	..... Apr.	2
Gaelic Prince	..... Apr.	3
Amur Maru	..... Apr.	9
Genoa Maru	..... Apr.	20
Charlton Hall	..... Apr.	22
Luceric	..... Apr.	23
For London etc.		
Banca	..... Apr.	1
Kaga Maru	..... Apr.	1
Andes Maru	..... Apr.	4
Knight Companion	.. Apr.	7
Eurypylus	..... Apr.	9
Khiva	..... Apr.	13
Rhesus	..... Apr.	19
Yokohama Maru	.... Apr.	21
City of Norwich	.... Apr.	22
Mentor	..... Apr.	22
Gleniffer	..... Apr.	25
Tamba Maru	..... Apr.	26
Havana Maru	..... May	1
For Liverpool		
Ajax	..... May	2
For Sabang (Netherland)		
Scotland Maru	..... Apr.	6
For Copenhagen		
Siam	..... Apr.	25
For Hamburg		
Dakar Maru	..... Apr.	3
Capetown Maru	.... Apr.	29
For Marseilles		
Paul Lecat	..... Apr.	1
Andre Lebon	..... Apr.	23
Sierra Ventana	..... Apr.	27
For Genoa		
Wakasa Maru	..... May	3
For Trieste		
Innsbruck	..... Apr.	22
For Bombay		
Dilwara	..... Apr.	16
For Calcutta		
Gregory Apcar	..... Apr.	8
Muttra	..... Apr.	30
For Saigon		
Hwahjah	..... Apr.	15
For Java		
Tjibodas	..... Apr.	4
For Sydney		
Hwahping	..... Apr.	9

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender Gutzlaff conveying passengers and mails on board the P. and O. s.s. Nore will leave the Customs jetty at 11 a.m.

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 12 noon.

The tender Whangpoo conveying passengers and mails on board the M.M. s.s. Armand Behic will leave the M.M. Jetty at (French Bund) at 10 a.m.

Sunday, May 9, 1920

The tender Alexandra conveying passengers and mails on board the C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Russia will leave the Customs jetty at 9 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the R.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk will leave the Customs jetty at 3 p.m.

Vessels Due

Chenan, *Hongkong*	.....May	13
China, *San Francisco*	....May	14
Chungking, *Hankow*	.....May	14
E. of Russia, *Hongkong*	..May	8
Feiching, *Foochow*	.....May	11
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	.....May	9
Haean, *Wenchow*	.....May	7
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	....May	7
Hsinming, *Tientsin*	.....May	7
Huntsgreen, *London*	.....May	14
Ichang, *Hongkong*	.....May	8
Kashima Maru, *Seattle*	..May	7
Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	.....May	14
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	.....May	7
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	.....May	9
Kidderpore, *London*	.....May	8
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	.....May	7
Kobe Maru, *Dairen*	.....May	8
Kutwo, *Hankow*	.....May	11
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	.....May	13
Loongwo, *Hankow*	.....May	12
Lt. de la Tour, *Marseilles*	..May	9
Ngankin, *Hankow*	.....May	9
Omi Maru, *Japan*	.....May	9
Peiho, *Saigon*	.....May	12
Simbirsk, *Vladivostok*	....May	7
Shengking, *Hankow*	.....May	12
Sunning, *Hongkong*	.....May	10
Tatung, *Hankow*	.....May	13
Tenyo Maru, *S. Francisco*	May	13
Toonan, *Newchwang*	.....May	8
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	.....May	9
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	.....May	12
Tydeus, *Liverpool*	.....May	7
Wuchang, *Hankow*	.....May	7
West Himrod, *S. Fcisco*	..May	7
Woosung, *Hankow*	.....May	10
Yingchow, *Tsingtau*	.....May	13

VESSELS IN HARBOR AND AT WOOSUNG

Date		From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Dec.	2 —	Japan	Taiho Maru	Jap.	
Dec.	4 —	River ports	Lingyun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec.	6 —	Chinwangtao	Indigirka		
Dec.	16 —	Hankow	Meitan	Am.	Socony.
Dec.	25 —		Kanling	Chi.	
Dec.	26 —		Newchow		
Jan.	15 —		Meihu	Am.	Socony.
Jan.	21 —	Japan	Kifuse Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Mar.	19 —	Japan	Kiyo Maru	Jap.	Kaiyosha
Mar.	22 —	———	Chienan	Chi.	W. & Co.
Apr.	1 —	Tsingtau	Shinfoo	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr.	10 —	River ports	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	14 —	.....	Palembang	Br.	A.P. Co.
Apr.	16 —	Foochow	Yungshin	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr.	22 —	Tientsin	Staala	Fr.	S.M.C. de P.
Apr.	29 —	Hankow, etc.	Kuling	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr.	29 —	New York	C. of Colombo	Br.	M.B.K.
Apr.	30 —	Hankow	Kaitsu Maru	Jap.	M.S.K.
Apr.	30 —	Cruise	Liuhsing	Chi.	Customs
Apr.	30 —	Cruise	Chuentiao	Chi.	Customs
May	2 —	London	Sapphire	Br.	S, T. & Co.
May	3 —	Cruise	Store Nordaike	Dan.	G.N.T. Co.
May	3 —	Hankow	Hanping	Chi.	H. Y. P.
May	3 —	Hongkong	Asia	Dan.	E.A. Co.
May	3 —	Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May	4 —		Shenchou	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
May	4 —	Hongkong	Choysang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	4 —	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	4 —	Japan	Mikawa Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
May	4 —	Chinwangtao	Patrolt	Br.	K.M.A.
May	4 —	Hankow	Yenoura Maru	Jap.	M. S. K.
May	5 —	Japan	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	5 —	Hongkong	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
May	5 —	Honkong	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	5 —	Bombay	Dunera	Br.	M. M. Co.
May	5 —	Swatow	Wosang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	5 —	Swatow	Wuhu	Br.	B. & S.
May	5 —	Tientsin	Koonshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	5 —	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	5 —	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
May	5 —	Japan	Nore		M.M. Cie
May	5 —	Japan	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N Y K.
May	5 —	Chinwangtao	Uraga Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
May	5 —	Tientsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
May	5 —		Yetorofu M.	Jap.	
May	5 —	Chefoo	Shawhsing	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	6 —	Japan	Kaga Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
May	6 —	Tsingtau	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
May	5 —	Cruise	Pingching	Chi.	Customs
May	6 —	Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	6 —	Hongkong	Hangsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	6 —	Tientsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
May	6 —	Dairen	Keelung Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
May	6 —	Chinwangtao	Fuso Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
May	6 —	Chinwangtao	Kashima Maru	Jap.	K. M. A.

Departures

Date		For	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Nanyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May	6 —	Japan	Africa	Ital.	Dod. & Co.
May	6 —	Seattle	Suwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	6 —	Otaru	Sapporo M. 3	Jap.	M.B.K.
May	6 —	S. H'kong, C'ton	Choysang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	6 —	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sinklang	Br.	B. & S.
May	6 —	Kobe	Glenade	Br.	G. L. E. A.
May	5 —	Cruise	Likin	Chi.	Customs
May	6 —		Tuscan Prince	Br.	S. Tomes & Co.
May	6 —	Tsingtau	Teli	Chi	N.S.S.N. Co.
May	6 —	Hankow	Miyaura Maru	Jap.	M.S.K.
May	6 —	Tientsin	Priam	Br.	B. & S
May	6 —	Tientsin	Mingshun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
May	6 —	Newchwang	Tientsin	Br.	B. & S.
May	6 —	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

Arrivals

Date		From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
May	5 —		Yetorofu M.	Jap.	
May	5 —	Chefoo	Shawhsing	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
May	5 —	Cruise	U.S.S. Monocacy		
May	6 —	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	6 —	Japan	Kaga Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
May	6 —	Tsingtau	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
May	6 —	Hongkong	Korea Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May	6 —	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B & S.
May	6 —	Cruise	Pingching	Chi.	Customs
May	6 —	Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	6 —	Hongkong	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	6 —	Tientsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
May	6 —	Dairen	Keelung M.	Jap.	O. S. K.
May	6 —	Chinwangtao	Fuso Maru	Jap.	K. M. A.
May	6 —	Chinwangtao	Kashima Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.

Shipping Items

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tachang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Ichang left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Tean left Tsingtau for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. China, sailed from San Francisco on April 23, is making a special call at Yokohama and is due to arrive in Shanghai about May 14.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Siangyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai yesterday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru from Seattle, was expected to leave Nagasaki on Wednesday, and is due in Shanghai today. The Kashima sails for Hongkong on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s Suiyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Fusan Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Tydeus from Liverpool, left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The P. and O. s.s. Trazos Montes (chartered) was expected to leave Colombo for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai on April 24.

The P. and O. s.s. Huntsgreen is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai on May 11.

The P. and O. s.s. Nore arrived in Shanghai from Japan on Wednesday and will sail for London and ports today. The tender Gutzlaff with passengers and mails will leave the Customs jetty at 11 o'clock this morning.

The B.I. s.s. Takada from Calcutta, left Hongkong at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Saturday afternoon.

The P. and O. s.s. Nellore from London, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on the morning of May 10.

The P. and O. s.s. Delta from Bombay, is expected to arrive at Hongkong on May 17.

The B.I. s.s. Gharinda left Bombay on May 1 and is due to arrive at Hongkong on the 19th.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.K.K. s.s. Fengyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Pukow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Chefoo for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan left Newchwang for Chefoo and Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Haean left Wenchow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching will leave Foochow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Dairen this morning and will sail for Tsingtau and Dairen tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock. The passenger tender will leave the Customs jetty at noon.

The P. and O. s.s. Itola, which left Bombay on May 1, is expected to arrive at Singapore on May 14.

The P. and O. s.s. Kedderpore, from London, left Hongkong at 6 o'clock yesterday morning and is due in Shanghai on Sunday morning.

The U.S.S. Monocacy arrived in Shanghai on Wednesday evening.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Russia left Hongkong for Shanghai at noon yesterday and is due at Woosung at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The inbound passenger tender is expected to reach the Customs jetty at five o'clock. The Russia sails for Japan, Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., on Sunday and the outward bound passenger tender will leave at 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

The C.N. s.s. Huichow is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong today.

The sailing of the M. M. s.s. Armand Behic has been postponed to Sunday, May 9, and the last tender with passengers and mails will leave the French Mail jetty at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

The C.M. s.s. Nanking sailed from San Francisco on April 29 and is due to arrive in Shanghai on May 23, via Honolulu and Yokohama.

The C.M. s.s. Nile sailed from San Francisco for Honolulu, Yokohama, Nagasaki and Shanghai on April 29 and is due to arrive at this port on May 24.

Passengers Arrived

Per P. and O. s.s. Nore from Japan: Major W. Huntingford, Gunner S. Barret, Mr. W. Storms, Mr. H. and Mrs. Nish and infant.

Per C.N. s.s. Shuntien from Tientsin: Mr. and Mrs. Jewell and 2 children; from Chefoo: Rev. MacKenzie; from Weihaiwei: Mr. and Mrs. Barnes.

Per C.N. s.s. Luenyi from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Tickel, Mr. and Mrs. Lund and child.

Per I-C. s.s. Surwo from Hankow: Misses Hartwell, Haddock, Messrs. Byres, Hall; from Kiukiang: Messrs. Pike, Taylor.

Per C.N. s.s. Tean from Tsingtau: Capt. W. D. Dent, Capt. S. E. Johnson, Lieutenants C. Attell, J. McHenry, S. G. Raggett and A. H. Chu, 6 British Officers, Mr. and Mrs. Hakashima.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru from Japan: Messrs. G. Blomgvist, K. Dharilal, B. Kesholal, K. A. Bredibusch, H. E. Reynell, F. Blaha, Mr. and Mrs. Sarbin, Mrs. I. Evserova, Mrs. R. Gobnel.

Per T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru from Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baum, Mrs. F. B. Carter, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill, Capt. and Mrs. T. S. Kingham, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ledeboer, Mrs. D. and Mstr. J. Marden, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. B. Steward, Major and Mrs. J. E. Stevenot, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilias, Mrs. L. Q. and Miss B. K. Younglove, Mrs. Lan To Yuen and 2 children, Messrs. R. S. Boyd, R. Fuller, Gee Sing Sa, Gee Kai Pond, R. Garcia, Wm. H. Keeble, Leong Gee, N. Reyes, Sin Rok Chan, Sin Chung Wo, G. W. Walton.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Tatung for Hankow: Mrs. Disseldurf, Mrs. McGavin and child, Mr. A. J. Fournier.

Per C.N. s.s. Poyang for Kiukiang: Mr. A. Griffiths A. B.; for Hankow: Stoker H. Caltow.

Per C.N. s.s. Sinkiang for Amoy: Mr. Lloyd; for Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. L. Uydens, Mr. M. H. Rice; for Canton: Mr. G. E. Sokolsky.

Per C.N. s.s. Tientsin for Newchwang: Mr. A. Gace.

Per I.-C. s.s. Luenho for Kiukiang: Mrs. Scollay and child, Miss Erickson, Mr. Etherington; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Ezra, Rev. J. A. O. Gatuberg, Messrs. F. C. Jordan, Hynd, Beatty, Shahmoon, M. Ezra, Golomhik, Morris.

Per T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru for Nagasaki: Messrs. H. E. Root, S. Iwata, T. Kuroda, H. Kiyohara, H. Kanazawa, Y. Kimura, T. Kanazaki, T. Oda, S. Uchikawa, K. Yonekura; for Kobe: Messrs. W. Duncan, E. H. Grooms, M. A. Katz, Mrs. M. A. Shealy; for Yokohama: Miss Elizabeth Baker, Mrs. W. R. Devon, Miss M. Ogawa, Mrs. Sing, Mr. Zinee; for San Francisco: Mr. and Mrs. C. Ashberg, Misses A. Bogley, M. Dunbleton, L. Ginn, F. Murray-Kidd, Sir Arthur Churchman, Mrs. E. H. Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. W. [illegible] Hooper, Mrs. E. [illegible] and Master Jimmie Hudson, Mrs. A. B. Williams, Mrs. W. A. Fraly, Mrs. Jordan and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. D. Lee, Mrs. C. H. L. Mason, Mrs. Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Tau Wah, Capt. Thos. Wright, Messrs. H. W. Bradley, J. M. Litchfield, L. W. Nicolaysen, O. H. Smith.

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AUCTION INDEX

THURSDAY, May 6th.—Sundry Sound and damaged cargo in godown in rear at 2.30 p.m.

FRIDAY, May 7th.—Excellent Household Furniture in Salesroom at 10 a.m.

SATURDAY, May 8th.—At Nanking Road Jetty at 12.15 p.m. a good Motor boat.

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SATURDAY NIGHT, MAY 8th, 1920.

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The North China Insurance Co., Ltd.

Report for presentation at the seventeenth ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the North China Insurance Company, Ltd., to be held at the head office of the Company, on Friday, May 21, at 4:30 p.m.

The directors have pleasure in submitting, for the information of shareholders, the annexed duly audited statement of the company's accounts to December 31, 1919.

*1918.—The balance at credit of this account is Tls. 466,902.72. After deducting the following items: Interim and second dividends, totalling 30 percent, and bonus of 15 percent upon contributory marine premium ..... 76,272.99 Tls.

Amount written off premies, passed at last annual meeting 30,000.00

Amount written off sterling securities, £8,923.4.4, at 7-9 .. 23,027.66

Transferred to Exchange and investment Fluctuation Account 75,000.00

there remains a sum of Taels 262,602.07 which the directors recommend should be appropriated in the following manner:

£20,000 transferred to reinsurance fund.

And the remainder to be transferred to underwriting reserve account, closing the account for 1918.

1919.—The balance at credit of this account is Taels 933,190.18. The directors recommend that an interim dividend of 15 percent on the paid-up capital be paid to shareholders; that a bonus of 20 percent upon contributory marine premium be paid and that the remainder be carried forward.

Directors.—It is with great regret that the directors have to record the death of Mr. Eugene Binder, of Messrs. Olivier and Company, who joined the board in 1918. During the year Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, of Messrs. Gibb. Livingston and Company, joined the board. In accordance with the provisions of the articles of association the directors all retire but, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

Audit.—The accounts have been audited by Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, who again tender their services to the shareholders.

By order of the court of directors.

W. Nation,
Acting secretary and general manager. Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

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Shanghai Tramways

The following is the Traffic Return of the Shanghai Tramways (Foreign Settlement) for the week ended May 5, 1920, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

	1920	1919
Gross receipts	$47,563.30	$41,949.24
Loss by currency depreciation	12,532.83	10,544.35
Effective receipts	$35,030.47	$31,404.89
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	27.53	26.21
Car miles run	91,979	87,615
Passengers carried	2,122,829	1,896,189

Coal Market

Messrs. Wheelock and Co. write as follows in their report dated May 6:

Japan Coal: There is nothing fresh to report on this market since last writing and there has been no new business done worth speaking about for various reasons chief amongst which is the shortage of supplies in Japan and the recent decline in exchange, at the same time the coal market in Japan continues firm in spite of the general depression in business circles.

Kaiping Coal: The market as usual at this time of the year is quiet and there is nothing of any special interest to report. Deliveries under contract are being maintained but stocks owing to the few arrivals last month are still low.

Amusements

TOWA CINEMA THEATRE
No. 4 Woochang Road

NEW PROGRAMME
For May 7th, 8th and 9th
THE UNIVERSAL COMPANY
Presents
"THE RED GLOVE"
Episodes 7 and 8
Four Parts
(In all 36 parts 18 episodes)
Japanese Serial
"OSANAKAHAHA"
6 parts
Admission 60 cts., 40 cts. and 30 cts.

Freight Market

Messrs. Wheelock and Co. write as follows in their report dated May 6:

The situation in our Outward Freight markets is as follows:

To United Kingdom and Continent: There is no change to report on this market since last writing and there is practically no demand for space worth mentioning in any direction; although exchange has ruled weak for some time it has not helped exports to any extent.

To United States via Pacific and via Panama and Suez: The scarcity of cargo on all these berths and the superabundance of tonnage, especially across the Pacific, with the large number of U.S. Shipping Board steamers now trading to the Orient, makes it quite impossible for the majority of them to obtain a return-freight which can be in any way worth the while.

Coast wise: There is no change to report since last writing and our Northern Market continues firm as far as business on the regular trade routes is concerned but the Hongkong market is weak and there is very little doing for "outsiders."

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TONIGHT
At 9.15 p.m.
NEW PROGRAMME
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MARIE TEMPEST
In association with
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In a Repertoire of
Famous "Tempest" Comedies.
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Tonight
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"MRS. DOT"
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Episodes 2, 3, 4 and 5

Lyceum Theatre
A. D. C.
184th Production.
Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night"

1st performance	9 p.m. sharp, Saturday,	May 22nd, 1920.
2nd performance	3 p.m. sharp, Monday,	May 24th, 1920.
3rd performance	9 p.m. sharp, Tuesday,	May 25th, 1920.
4th performance	9 p.m. sharp, Wednesday,	May 26th, 1920.
5th performance	9 p.m. sharp, Thursday,	May 27th, 1920.

The booking for the five performances will open at Messrs. Moutrie and Co., Ltd., on Friday, May 14th for members only, and on Saturday, May 15th for the public.

By Order,
William Armstrong,
Business Manager.
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